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BIMETALLISM.

Senator Wolcott Convinced That It is Still Feasible.

But the Ratio May Have to Be Made 20 to 1.

Marcus A. Hanna Sworn in as Senator From Ohio.

The Immigration Bill Before the Senate--Mr. Gage Answers Questions of the Committee on Currency.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—In anticipation of an interesting session of the senate today all of the galleries were well filled, some time before the senate convened. Mrs. Wolcott, wife of Senator E. O. Wolcott, chairman of the bimetallic commission, who was to deliver a speech upon the work of the commission was in the diplomatic gallery with a party of friends. Many ladies from the various foreign legations were also in the diplomatic gallery.

Mr. Hanna, who has just been elected senator from Ohio, made his first appearance on the floor since his election. He was cordially greeted by his colleagues on both sides of the chamber. His coming to Washington was unexpected, as it had been announced that he would remain in Cleveland for several days to rest.

Chaplain Milburn, in his invocation, made touching references to the death of Major Benjamin Butterworth, commissioner of patents, and to that of Logan Carlisle, son of the late secretary of the treasury.

HANNA SWORN IN.

Mr. Foraker announced that the legislature of Ohio had chosen Marcus Alonozo Hanna to be senator from Ohio for the remainder of Mr. Sherman's term of six years, ending March 4, 1899. He presented Mr. Hanna's credentials and they were read. As there was no objection to the administration of the oath of office, Mr. Foraker escorted Mr. Hanna to the vice president's desk. As the two senators passed down the main aisle of the senate there was a murmur in the galleries, a craning of necks to get a good view of the two distinguished Ohioans. Mr. Hanna appeared to be in first rate health. The oath of office was administered by the vice president and Mr. Hanna's response was distinctly audible to all. Many senators hastened to extend their congratulations to Mr. Hanna after the administration of the oath.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Among the memorials presented were the remonstrances of 512 Roman Catholic societies of the United States, representing more than 50,000 members, offered by Mr. Murphy, of New York, against the enactment of the pending immigration bill.

Mr. Foraker, for the Pacific railroad committee, reported from the committee, a substitute for a bill relating to the Pacific railroads and asked for its immediate consideration. Objection was made and the report went over until tomorrow.

Mr. Hale, of the appropriation committee, reported the urgency deficiency bill passed last week by the house, and gave notice that he would call it up tomorrow at the conclusion of the routine morning business.

Senator Foraker today reported from the committee on Pacific railroads a bill authorizing the president, if necessary for the protection of the government, to bid in the Kansas Pacific railroad at the coming sale.

Mr. Harris, of Kansas, presented a resolution, for which he requested immediate consideration, asking the secretary of the treasury why, since 1882, he had omitted from his statement an item of something more than $11,000,000 interest due the United States from the Pacific railroads. Objection was made by Mr. Thurston, of Nebraska, and the resolution went over until tomorrow.

Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, presented and asked for the immediate consideration of a resolution directing the committee on pensions to ascertain by what authority the commissioner of pensions refuses to pass upon applications for increases of pensions until twelve months shall have elapsed since the last allowance was made. Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, chairman of the pension committee, objected to immediate consideration of the resolution. It went over until tomorrow.

WORK OF BIMETALLIC COMMISSION.

At 12:50 Mr. Wolcott, of Colorado, chairman of the bemetallic commission, was recognized for a speech upon the work of the commission. By this time the galleries and the floor were crowded. Mr. Wolcott was in fine voice and spoke with only occasional references to his manuscript, which he had before him. He was accorded the closest attention by his auditors, among whom were many members of the house.

Senator Wolcott, in his speech upon the work of the bimetallic commission, said: "It is my sincere conviction that an international bimetallic agreement is still feasible, by the terms of which certain countries will join us and open their mints to the unlimited coinage of silver and others will contribute to the plan an enlarged use of that metal as money; and I say this the more freely because I shall give way upon the commission to somebody more fitted for such negotiations and better able to give them his constant time. This result cannot be brought about without the expenditure of both time and patience and the persons entrusted with the duty of negotiation must have back of them the hearty support of the president and of congress."

He thought it might be necessary to change the ratio to something like 20 to 1. The famine in India is more a money famine than a food famine. He referred to the attitude of Secretary Gage on financial questions, contrasting it with the president's position, and said Secretary Gage's bill will reach limbo before it reaches the senate. In conclusion he said it would be cowardly to abandon hope and added: "International bimetallism is to the gold monometallists a stumbling block, and to the silver monometallists, foolishness, but it is nevertheless a splendid possibility; its accomplishment would be the greatest blessing that could befall our people, and to achieve it we might well afford to sink for the time the hostilities of party and the bickerings of factions."

Mr. Wolcott concluded his speech at 2:05 p. m., having spoken for an hour and fifteen minutes. As he sat down there was a burst of applause throughout the chamber, and for several minutes he was surrounded by his colleagues who desired to tender to him their congratulations.

IMMIGRATION BILL.

Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, desiring to speak upon the resolution which had been the basis of Mr. Wolcott's remarks, asked that the resolution be read. Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts, demanded the regular order, which was the immigration bill, and as he was sustained in his demand by the vice president, Mr. Allen said that, as he had the floor, he would speak upon that bill. Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, announced that he would be compelled to leave the chamber and requested Mr. Allen to yield him a few minutes for some remarks upon the bill. The request was granted. Mr. Hoar spoke in favor of the bill. Mr. Spooner, of Wisconsin, while supporting the general character of the bill, pointed out a feature which he said was indefensible, namely, that required an immigrant to both read and write some of the United States constitution. Rather than support the provision requiring the immigrant to write, as well as to read, he would be compelled to vote against the bill.

The House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—This was District of Columbia day in the house and immediately after the reading of the journal Mr. Curtis, of the District of Columbia committee, claimed the day and the house proceeded to the consideration of district business.

After the passage of three bills of purely local importance the house resumed consideration of the army appropriation bill, which was begun on Saturday.

Secretary Gage and ex-Secretary Fairchild were before the house committee on banking and currency today, for a further discussion of the pending plans for currency reform. After considerable controversy among members as to how they were to be questioned, Chairman Walker made the interrogatories. In response to questions by Mr. Walker, Mr. Gage said he had been in the banking business for forty years; for ten years was president of the First National bank of Chicago, with a capital of $3,000,000 and loans and discounts of $16,000,000 to $20,000,000. He assented to Mr. Walker's question that he appeared as a banker and financier of long experience to aid the committee. The chairman asked if it was possible to use paper money and keep it at an equality with coin in purchasing power without the coin on hand. Mr. Gage thought not. Without the specie on hand there was a tendency to distrust, if not to panic, and to a demand for specie.

MEET AS FATHER AND SON.

General and Ballington Booth Exchange Friendly Greetings.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—General William Booth, of the Salvation Army, and his son, Ballington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, met by appointment Sunday in the presence of two prominent clergymen as witnesses, and gave for publication this formal statement:

"General William Booth and Commander Ballington Booth met in the Windsor hotel in the presence of Dr. Josiah Strong and Dr. Chas. Cuthbert Hall on Sunday, January 16th.

"The interview was purely as between father and son.

"Nothing transpired calculated to lead to any union of the two movements.

"It was agreed that all public controversy in the press and otherwise between the two movements should, as far as possible, come to an end."

The meeting lasted for half an hour. According to the two witnesses the Booths met as father and son naturally would after a separation of two years. Nothing was said about any future meeting.

Bob Allen, manager of the Indianapolis base ball club, was in the city a short time today. He came to get a line on a number of Fort Wayne players, principally a catcher.

A GIGANTIC STRIKE.

Result of Wage Reductions in Cotton Mills.

Eighty Thousand Operatives Are Affected.

Promise of a Long and Bitter Struggle.

Textile Mills Throughout New England Are Involved---Strike Is Now in Full Blast.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 17.—The 80,000 or more skilled operatives employed in about seventy of the chief cotton mills of New England states will today come under the sweeping order of a new wage scale which entails a reduction of 10 per cent. or more.

This reduction will bring on in New Bedford, Mass., Lewiston and Biddeford, Me., labor strikes which may prove the beginning of an industrial battle greater in extent and more disastrous in effect than any in the previous history of cotton manufacturing in the United States.

The battle against the corporations undoubtedly would have been fought everywhere had not the voice of men and women who are ill prepared at this time of year to go into idleness been heeded by conservatives. As it is the great majority of persons employed in nine corporations in New Bedford and one corporation each in two Maine cities, will take upon themselves the task of forcible resistance to the reduction.

TEN THOUSAND IDLE.

In New Bedford the nine corporations represent twenty-two mills with over 770,000 spindles or 21,000 looms, giving means of livelihood to nearly ten thousand. The strikes will be directed by the labor unions, the lead being taken by the mule spinners' union, the national executive committee of which has sanctioned the strike of opposition and promised financial aid. The spinners and weavers are practically the only branches of textile operatives which have maintained organization. One striking feature of the preliminary agitation against the cut down and the strike talk was the plea of the national labor bodies interested that no strikes be begun except at New Bedford and Lowell, and asking that all strength be concentrated on the former place. Lowell operatives held in abeyance a decision to strike, pledging their support to the other city. The strikes in the other places mentioned have to be officially sanctioned by the governing labor body.

WILL RETURN TO CANADA.

There is one feature of the labor troubles and cut downs which may manifest itself, and that is the return to their Canadian homes of hundreds of families who speak French who flock to the states in winter to secure employment. Following is an estimate of the number of operatives affected by the cut-down, but the actual result will scarcely be seen until the new schedule of wages is tried: Knight, Goddards & Chase mills in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, 20,000; Lowell mills, 15,000; Lewiston, 5,000; Fall River, 4,000; Biddeford and Sayer, 4,000; other Maine mills, 4,000; Nashua, 3,000; New Hampshire and other than Manchester and Nashua, 3,000; Worcester county, 5,000; Holyoke, 10,000; Vermont, 10,000; miscellaneous, 6,000.

AT NEW BEDFORD.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 17.—A shut down, the most complete in the history of the cotton mills of New Bedford, began this morning. Not a spindle was turning nor a loom in motion in the factories of the cloth corporations an hour after the usual time of begining work. Between forty and fifty operatives went into the Bristol mill, and twenty-five or thirty into the Whitman, but aside from these no mill made any show of running, and these two soon shut down. Nine corporations operating eighteen mills, in which upwards of 9,000 hands are employed, are involved in the strike. The cut-down is uniform all over the city, 10 per cent. The total pay roll of these corporations is estimated at $70,000 weekly.

OUT AT BIDDEFORD AND SACO.

BIDDEFORD, Maine, Jan. 17.—Every department of the Pepperell and Laconia mills in this city, and all the departments of the York mills, in Saco, with the exception of the carding and mule spinning rooms, shut down today as a result of the decision of the operators to resist a 10 per cent reduction in wages, which was to go into effect today. At the York mills in Saco, the weavers remained out and were followed by the slashers and ring shinners. The cut at these mills is said to average 12 per cent. There are 1,500 operatives and 51,204 spindles. The management of the mills refuse to say what their policy will be regarding the action of the operatives.

ANDROSCOGGIN OPERATIVES OUT.

LEWISTON, Me., Jan. 17.—The operatives of all the mills here, except those of the Androscoggin, went to work as usual today under a reduction in wages of from 10 to 11 1-9 per cent. At the Androscoggin mill only seven out of 400 weavers went to work. The reduction went into effect at the mills of the Contonet and Androscoggin, Hill, Barber and Bates corporations, and and at the Lewiston Bleachery and Dye works. The total weekly pay roll of these companies has been $43,000, about 5,750 operatives are employed, and the number of spindles aggregate 279,000.

TROUBLE FEARED AT WOONSOCKET.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Jan. 17.—The 2,300 people employed in the Social, Globe and Nourse mills, of the Social Manufacturing company, and the Clinton mill, in this city, went to work at reduction of wages, averaging, it is stated at the offices of the mills, at about 10 per cent. Fears are felt that trouble may yet arise.

MINERS CONFER.

A Joint Convention of Operators and Employes Being Held.

Miners Demand Adoption of the "Gross Weight" System, Which Will Revolutionize the Wage Scale.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—A joint convention of coal miners and operators, representing the fields of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, was called to order by M. D. Ratchford, president of the United Mine workers at 10:30 today. Permanent organization was effected by the selection of W. H. Holcomb, of Chicago, and two secretaries, F. H. Brooks, of Ohio, and W. C. Pearce, of Chicago, the former representing the miners and the latter the operators. A committee on credentials was selected, consisting of one miner and one operator from each state. The selection of a committee on rules and regulations and order of business aroused considerable discussion, but was finally made up on the basis of one miner and two operators from each state, with equal voting powers. The convention then recessed until 2:30 o'clock, when the committees will report.

About 500 delegates are in attendance as a result of the recent Columbus convention of miners to adopt a scale of wages for 1898. That convention decided to meet the operators and discuss differences. The principal point at issue is the sweeping demand of the miners for the universal adoption of the "gross weight" system and the abandonment of "screens." Then the miners would be paid for "screenings" as well as lump coal. The change would revolutionize the wage scale and will be vigorously combatted by the operators. West Virginia operators have as yet been unrepresented in the convention.

QUIET AT HAVANA.

Advices From the Cuban Capital Develop Nothing Startling.

The Governor of Santa Clara Narrowly Escapes an Assassin's Bullet--Saved by General Aguirre.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The state department and Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister, both expressed the opinion today that the trouble at Havana has blown over. No advices under today's date had been received by either the department or the minister up to 11:30 o'clock today. Senor de Lome received two dispatches last night, the first saying that the day was passing quietly and the latter, apparently sent at a later hour, announcing that calm had prevailed during Sunday. The state department, after 9 o'clock, received a dispatch from Consul General Lee, saying simply, "All quiet." The lateness of the receipt of advices yesterday, the minister says, is due to the fact that the Havana cable office on Sundays does not open until 9 o'clock at night.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Senor De Lome, the Spanish minister, today received the following cablegram from the secretary general of Cuba:

"HAVANA, Jan. 17.—Yesterday during a game of ball at which was present the governor of Santa Clara, Maricos Garcia, a clerk of the hospital known as a drunkard, who had been discharged (his name is Picon), fired two shots at the governor which missed him, owing to having been diverted by General Aguirre, who was with the governor. The people made an ovation to both the governor and general.

"Eleven a. m., absolute tranquility. There is no fear it will be broken.

"(Signed) CONGOSTO."

OFFICE BUILDING BURNED.

Fire Causes a Heavy Loss This Morning at McKeesport.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 17.—The Yester block, a large office building on Fifth avenue, McKeesport, Pa., was totally destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock this morning. The block was erected two years ago, at a cost of $100,000. The first floor was occupied by Yester's jewelry store and the loss to the stock will reach $40,000. Bedell's gents' furnishing store will lose $10,000.

An early morning fire at Bridgeville, Pa., on the Panhandle railroad, about twelve miles south of here, destroyed six buildings and an immense lumber yard. The loss will probably reach $30,000.

The Woman's Reading club will meet with Miss Tracey Guild tomorrow afternoon. Miss Guild will present the subject.

SOLD IN MARRIAGE.

Arabian Peddler Said to Have Bought His Wife.

Alleged That Bride's Parents Received $1,000.

Telegram States That Marriage Took Place Here.

Peculiar Matrimonial Transaction in Which Joseph H. Marage and Miss Ivy Finney Figure.

The following dispatch from a Portland, Ind., correspondent, appears in the Chicago Chronicle:

"The neighborhood three miles east of Bryant is excited over the alleged selling of a girl in marriage.

"It appears that Joseph H. Marage, an Arabian peddler, has been making his headquarters for some time at the home of Joseph Finney. Finney has a young daughter, Ivy, whom, it is said, Marage was enamored of and wanted to make his wife. Just here, according to the stories being told, is where the strange part of the affair comes in. The parents of the girl are alleged to have hesitated until Marage offered a money consideration of $1,000, which is said to have been agreed to. Marage is credited with having paid $500 to Finney when the marriage license was issued, it being procured by Finney, and another $500 when the document was delivered to him.

"Mrs. Finney, Marage and Ivy Finney went to Fort Wayne, where the latter part of the transaction was consummated and the marriage ceremony performed, Mrs. Finney holding the license until the terms of the contract made were complied with.

"The story is current that the girl hesitated about being bound in such a compact, and it is alleged that Marage gave her $1,000 before the marriage ceremony was performed. Miss Finney was to have been married on New Year's day to Melvin Wheeler."

If the marriage ceremony detailed in the foregoing was performed in Fort Wayne no trace of the officiating authority can be found. None of the four justices of the peace solemnized the marriage and none of the ministers of the city, so far as THE SENTINEL has been able to ascertain, made Ivy Finney the bride of Joseph Marage.

MARRIAGE BY INJUNCTION.

Unusual Method Adopted to Prevent an Elopement.

KULM, S. D., Jan. 17.—Marriage by injunction is the latest feature of South Dakota jurisprudence. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pruisner, well-to-do Russians near here, recently arranged to marry their daughter Lena to Nicholas Bataglea, a neighboring farmer. But Miss Prusiner loved another—Alexander Hellin, a worthy youth, who but for his poverty would have been as desirable a suitor as Bataglea in the eyes of Lena's parents.

From a faithless friend of Hellin's the Prusiners learned that the former intended to elope with their daughter on the eve of the wedding day. The aid of a neighboring justice of the peace was invoked, an injunction secured against the elopement, a copy of the writ served on Hellin and an officer stationed on the Pruisners' premises to arrest him should he presume to set the law at defiance. As was anticipated, he came despite the injunction, and was duly taken into custody and locked up.

Before he could secure a bond Lena was married to the man she did not love. Public sympathy is on Hellin's side and the justice of the peace may find himself in trouble for interfering in an affair of the kind.

A HOT CONTEST.

Results of Saturday's Democratic Primaries in Wells County.

BLUFFTON, Jan. 17.—One of the most hotly contested democratic primaries in the history of Wells county occurred Saturday. Friends of thirty-eight candidates for the various offices have been in active canvass for the last four weeks. The weather was very disagreeable, but the total vote cast will reach 3,200. The following were nominated, which is equivalent to an election:

Representative—W. H. Eichhorn.
Clerk—Hugh D. Studabaker.
Auditor—W. A. Marsh.
Recorder—John Miller.
Treasurer—William H. Rupright.
Sheriff—William Higgins.
Surveyor—A. A. Batson.
Coroner—W. W. McBride.
Assessor—John French.
Commissioners—R. C. Reynolds and A. J. Haflich.

The race for treasurer was exciting, there being nine candidates. Rupright defeated Amos King by only thirty-three votes.

BITTERNESS IN OHIO.

Frank DeHaas Robison Has Some Views and a Warning.

[Indianapolis Journal.]

Frank DeHaas Robison, president of the Cleveland base ball club, who is at the Grand, besides being a base ball magnate is also a politician in Ohio. He was an anti-Hanna man in the great senatorial fight, and says that the bitterness growing out of that contest has not been allayed by the denunciation of Mayor McKisson's friends as traitors by the senator elect. He says that those who were opposed to Mr. Hanna in the republican party are just as good republicans as can be found in the United States. "We were licked, and that should end it. The attempt to read the anti-Hanna men out of the party will, if continued, result disastrously."

FOREIGN NEWS.

France and Russia Protest Against Great Britain.

The Dreyfus Case Continues to Excite the Parisians--Terrible Colliery Disaster in Prussian Silesia.

PEKIN, Jan. 17.—The French and Russian ministers have protested against the conditions upon which (as outlined in an interview between Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister to China, and the Chinese foreign office on Saturday last) Great Britain is willing to assist China to liquidate the Japanese indemnity. Chang Yeng Wau has been appointed governor of Shan Tung.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—A semi-official note relative to the demand that the alleged confession of Aldred Dreyfus to M. Lebrun-Renaud should be published, says: "If the government conceded the demand it would bring under discussion and appear to place in doubt the authority of the Dreyfus decision. Moreover, the government does not consider it has the right to make such a communication, for reasons analogous to those which determined the court martial to try Dreyfus behind closed doors."

There was great excitement in the chamber of deputies today, when M. Cavaignac, republican, demanded a discussion of the semi-official note, issued today, in which the government declined to make public the alleged confession of Alfred Dreyfus to M. Lebrun-Renaud. The premier, M. Meline, in refusing to discuss the matter, declared that if the chamber voted its immediate discussion, the cabinet would resign. The house then by a vote of 310 to 252 adopted a motion shelving the discussion.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—A dispatch from Gleiwitz, Prussian Silesia, announces a terrific colliery disaster at Zaborze. The Koenigen Luiz colliery caught fire yesterday and of the fifteen men brought to the surface seven died. It is feared that twenty-five others, whose escape was cut off, have perished.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A special dispatch from Rome says there was a severe earthquake shock today at Argenta, eighteen miles southeast of Fedrara. A church and several buildings were wrecked and several persons were injured.

PRESIDENT DOLE.

Hawaii's Chief Executive Lands Upon America's Shores.

His Arrival Not Attended by Any Demonstration--Will Proceed at Once to Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—When President Dole, of Hawaii, landed from the steamship Peru this morning, he was not received with the ceremony befitting the ruler of a foreign country. The Peru arrived shortly after 8 o'clock last night and the quarantine regulations were not waived in favor of the visiting president, so he remained on board all night. When the steamer docked this morning President Dole was greeted by the Hawaiian consul and a few friends, but there was no representative of the United States government to formally welcome him. The customs officials passed the baggage of himself and family without inspection and that was all. Owing to the fact that the steamer came in after dark last night no salute was fired by any of the forts around the bay. That a different reception was anticipated is evident by the following letter from the Associated Press correspondent at Honolulu.

"HONOLULU, Jan. 9.—President Dole and his party will leave for Washington this evening by the steamship Peru. Mrs. Dole will accompany the party as far as San Francisco and will remain in that city until the return of the president. President Dole will remain two days in San Francisco, communicating with the Hawaiian legation at Washington; in the meantime, if the Hawaiian annexation question has not been settled by congress, the presidential party will proceed to the capital at once; if on the other hand the treaty has been passed or action on the same deferred indefinately then it is more than probable that President Dole will not journey to Washington, but instead will take the first boat to Honolulu."

A. O. U. W. EVENT.

Progressive Pedro and Social at the Hall of No. 36 Tonight.

The third of the series of entertainments given at the hall of A. O. U. W. lodge No. 36, under the auspices and for the benefit of the First A. O. U. W. band will take place this evening. There will be progressive pedro and a general social time, at which everybody will be made to enjoy the occasion. These social events are proving quite popular and the attendance grows larger with each recurrence of the entertainment.

Don't forget the sale at Reuben S. Patterron's.

POLICY AGAIN.

Mayor Scherer Thinks It Is Being Played,

In Bold Defiance to His Recent Orders.

Police Ordered to Make Investigations.

Frank Irey's Case Settled This Morning By the Payment of a Fine--Notes in Police Circles.

This morning Frank Irey's fine for being in the business of operating policy was paid over to Mayor Scherer. The fine and costs amounted to $68.50. When the decision was made against Irey by a jury no appeal was made, as in former cases, but a stay was asked for and granted. The time of stay was ninety days, but this has not expired.

A SENTINEL reporter this morning asked Mayor Scherer if he thought that policy was still being played in the city, to which he replied:

"I have heard that policy is being quietly played, and I have notified Superintendent Gorsline to make an investigation. If he finds that the game is still on he will make more arrests. Policy must be stopped."

POLICE NOTES.

For two nights no report of any kind has gone on the police records. It is very dull.

This morning Bud Arnold, Harry VanAlstine and "Dutch" Irwin, who are at the jail under bonds for petit larceny, were brought over to the rogues' gallery at the city hall and photographed by Miner. Their pictures will go in the superintendent's collection.

Emil Smith, clerk at the police station, was granted a leave of absence today so that he can complete an extensive addition to his poultry houses, of which he has several. Mr. Smith has built a number of additions lately, and if he keeps on it is only a matter of time when he will have the greatest system of chicken coops to be found in the country.

UNION MEETINGS.

Several Organizations to Meet Tonight.

A Union of Painters to Be Formed--Fruits of the Labor Revival Begin to Appear.

The work inaugurated by the Trades and Labor council two weeks ago looking to a revival of trade union sentiment in the city is bearing fruit. Two new organizations are already planted—the laundry workers and plasterers. The painters will be organized tonight. Many new members have been gathered into the carpenters, the machinists and the Working Women's Federal Labor union.

A good representation of horseshoers was present at the meeting yesterday afternoon at A. O. U. W. hall. G. R. Hench and D. F. Kennedy delivered short addresses, which were highly appreciated by this new union.

The Trades council desires the presence of every painter, both employers and journeymen, at the meeting tonight at A. O. U. W. hall, corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, at 7:30. D. F. Kennedy and others will be be present. All laundry workers in the city are invited to be at the meeting tonight, as it is desired to to make the charter membership as large as possible. This meeting will be in one of the small rooms at A. O. U. W. hall at 7:30. An effort is being made to unionize the Rothschilds' overall factory.

WILL BUILD.

Baptists Want a North Side Mission Property.

Committee Will Meet Tonight to Consider the Purchase of a Lot--Work to Be Done Next Summer.

The North Side Baptist Mission has met with such encouraging success that it has been thought advisable to purchase a lot and erect a new mission building next summer. With this end in view a committee will meet with the trustees of the First Baptist church tonight to present a plan for the acquirement of property and the erection of a building.

Ever since the mission was founded services have been held in a building on St. Mary's avenue. The congregation is outgrowing the accommodations, hence the action toward building.

ASHBY DROWNED.

A Capsized Boat Throws Him Into the Water.

Was Appointed United States Consul at Colon Only a Few Months Ago--German Consul Also Drowned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Consul General Gugdeon at Panama cabled the state department today announcing the drowning of William W. Ashby, United States consul at Colon. No details were given. Ashby was appointed to office only a few months ago, and has been well-known in this city and Virginia as a newspaper man connected with Norfolk, Va., newspapers. A press dispatch stated that three others were drowned with him, but the state department's cable contains no reference to the other persons in the boat with him.

COLON, Colombia, via Galveston, Jan. 17.—A boating party, consisting of the United States consul, W. W. Ashby; Dr. Hafemann, the German consul; Master Mechanic Mott, and four others, are supposed to have been drowned. The body of the boatman has already been recovered.

FROM A LADDER.

John Dupoy Falls a Distance of Twenty-five Feet.

His Skull Fractured and His Death Will Most Likely Follow--Sad Accident at Coesse.

S. Hiler, of Coesse, Ind., was in the city today and brought the news of a frightful accident that befell John Dupoy, a well to do farmer of that section, who will likely die as a result of the misfortune. Mr. Dupoy was on a ladder, repairing the roof of the barn, when he lost his balance and fell backward to the ground. His head struck the earth and the skull was fractured. The man has been unconscious for forty-eight hours and no hopes are held out for his recovery. Mr. Dupoy has a large family.

THE COURTS.

The last will and testament of the late William F. Francies has been filed for probate. His personal property and real estate is devised to his wife and children. The wife is named as executrix.

Christian Schneider has qualified as administrator of the estate of Christian Schneider, sr., lately deceased.

In the superior court Joseph H. Moore has been given judgment for $69.90 against Henry W. Soest.

Milton P. Fort, a special officer from Plainfield, came to Fort Wayne today and returned with Edward Bailey to the reformatory for boys. Young Bailey had violated the terms of his parole.

The county commissioners were considering applications for liquor license today. But two were presented to the board.

In the circuit court Judge O'Rourke listened to claims presented against the Fort Wayne Consolidated Street railroad.

A superior court jury awarded Daniel Gorman a verdict against Sarah Jane Klutter in repleven proceedings and gave him $5 damages.

In the superior court the Keeley Brewing company was given judgment for $270.77 against John Wilkinson, et al., on notes.

LICENSED TO WED.

Frederick H. Winkler and Josephine Gerber.
Elsworth Snider and Alice A. Whitney.
Jerome J. Studor and Elizabeth Kelley.
Leonard C. Lehneke and Anna Beckes.
Walter S. Burkholder and Flora Wiggins.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Annie Eugene Habecker Succumbs to Congestion of the Lungs--Week's Deaths.

Annie Eugenia, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Habecker, of 127 Harrison street, died Sunday morning of congestion of the lungs, after long suffering. Her age was six years. The remains were removed to the residence of Elias Habecker, 61 Brackenridge street, from which place the funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

THE WEEK'S DEAD.

The undertakers have reported the following deaths for the week ending Saturday, January 15:

Henry Autrup, 6 years old, typhoid fever.

Edward Leach, 76 years old, general debility.

V. R. Hutchinson, 73 years old, erysipelas.

Louise Hattendorf, 19 years old, typhoid fever.

Carl Keller, 3 years old, accident.

Kate Jacoby, 68 years old, pneumonia.

John Carroll, 36 years old, consumption.

John Dondero, 6 years old, measles.

Rosa Bobay, 21 years old, consumption.

Ralph Gephardt, 3 years old, measles.

George W. Veim, 37 years old, consumption.

David S. Griffith, 49 years old, typhoid fever.

SPECIALS
For Tomorrow.
300 ladies' outing flannel night gowns, to close out, 35c; worth double.
250 gent's outing flannel gowns, to close, 41c, worth 75c.
Ladies' all wool flannel shirt waists, the latest styles and all shades, for 50c. This is much less than you can buy the material.
350 pair of ladies' muslin drawers for tomorrow, 17c a pair.
300 ladies' muslin corset covers, 9c.
WOLF & DESSAUER,
70 and 72 Calhoun St.

Mrs. Throckmorton, the wife of A. Throckmorton, of South Lafayette street, is sick and unable to leave the house.

A Perfect Infant Food

Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk

A Perfect Substitute For Mothers Milk. For 40 Years the Leading Brand.

"Infant Health" Sent Free.

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TONIGHT.

Union Veteran Legion—Regular meeting.

Ladies of the G. A. R.—G. W. Stirk circle.

Baptist Guards—Regular drill.

True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social hop.

Cigarmakers' Union — Regular meeting.

Lodges—Phoenix No. 101, K. of P.; Fort Wayne No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Ben Hur court No. 15; Ben Hur court No. 96.

A. O. U. W. Hall—Social and pedro party by the First A. O. U. W. band.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:

Monday — Louis Morrison in "Faust."

Tuesday—"Human Hearts."

Wednesday — "The American Girl."

Friday—"A Scrap of Paper."

Mark Hanna is not a very heroic hero, but he seems to answer his own purposes quite well.

Gradually Tammany and Croker, who virtually is Tammany, are disclosing their purpose to control the democratic politics of the nation. It will not work in the west.

The time seems not far distant when Spain will find the insurrection of the Cubans among the least of her troubles. That another uprising of the Carlists is being fomented is hardly to be doubted from the evidences at hand.

An exchange, in discussing the tramp nuisance, declares that if the tramp is to be eliminated from our society he must be put to work. This suggestion is practical enough in the abstract, but it will not be found to work any better than the tramp will. One of the fatal incidents of the tramp question is the number of well-dressed vagrants from whom the common hobo gets his inspiration and his vindication.

At least some good has come out of the meeting of Gen. William Booth, founder and head of the Salvation Army, and his estranged son, Gen. Ballington Booth, organizer and commander-in-chief of the Volunteers of America. Father and son have not been able to bridge the chasm that divides them, but they have agreed to do no more fighting in the newspapers—that is to say, no more than cannot be avoided.

In court in Brooklyn the other day the plaintiff's lawyer in a suit for damages called the defendant's counselor, much to the latter's surprise, as a witness. But when the lawyer-witness, after his direct testimony, insisted upon cross-examining himself, it was the plaintiff's attorney who was surprised and who ineffectually protested. This turning of tables was clever, and pleased everybody but the other side. The public significance lies in the hope that when lawyers begin to cross-examine themselves they will learn to treat other witnesses more gently.

Chicago statisticians are endeavoring to figure out the meaning of the decided falling off which has occurred during the last two years in the number of marriage licenses granted. By many this decrease is taken to mean that marriage is growing unpopular, but the returns from other sections of the country do not bear out this conclusion. Possibly there have been fewer marriages because the Chicago courts are growing less accommodating in the granting of divorces. When it is generally understood that the marriage tie is permanent and not temporary the clerk of the marriage license bureau will have more spare time on his hands.

The friends of Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, are much gratified by the great favor with which that gentleman's candidacy for the democratic nomination for state treasurer is being received all over Indiana. Mr. Dougherty is a banker, but he was early in the fight for Bryan and free silver in 1896, and he rendered splendid service for his party. The value of his labors were shown when his county (Wells) gave an increased democraric majority in the last election. Mr. Dougherty presents strong claims to the consideration of the democratic party. He unites eminent fitness, high character and a record of valiant party service. He will be a strong rival who can outweigh him him in any of these essential equipments of the candidate.

All the opposition to the currency "reform" plan proposed by the monetary commission does not come from "popocrats," "anarchists," "silverites," "Bryanites" and the foes generally of a "sound gold currency." As much opposition as the friends of the scheme can well take care of is developing in the ranks of the republican party. Hon. Frank W. Willis, editor of the Waterloo Press, and one of the republican leaders of northern Indiana, declares himself in unmistakable terms against the new banking scheme. He says: "The greatest objection to the old state bank currency was its tendency to become worthless in the hands of innocent holders. The same objection holds good, in a measure, against the recommendation of the Indianapolis monetary commission that the requirement of the government that bonds shall be deposited to secure national bank notes shall gradually be abolished, and the banks allowed to issue notes that shall be a first lien upon all their resources. If all men were honest and infallible in judgment, it might be advisable to make such a change, but proof that they are neither one nor the other is piling up every day. It would be foolish to abandon an absolutely safe method, one by which it is impossible for any national bank note holder to lose a dollar, for one that is far from safe."

TO THE DOCTORS.

Rev. J. S. Ainslie Preaches a Strong Sermon.

Gave Reasons Why Physicians Should be Christians--Many of the Medical Profession Present.

Last night Plymouth Congregational church was crowded, a large number of the physicians of the city, with their wives, being present to hear the sermon by Rev. J. Stuart Ainslie to the doctors, entitled, "The Struggle for Christian Character in a Physician's Life." He chose his text from II. Chron., xvi., 12:13, and after brief explanation, proceeded to welcome the doctors to the service. "Brethren of the medical profession, we often meet in the house of distress. The work of the doctor touches closely on the pastoral work of the minister, although it is not generally recognized. We join each other in an attempt at solace where the paroxysm of grief demands a medicine as well as a prayer. We are not strangers, but friends, often looking into each other's faces through the dusk as the night of death is falling in the sick room. But we meet tonight, not in the home of distress, but in the pleasant apartments of the house of God, and I want to preach a sermon of inspiration, helpfulness and good cheer.

"In our text King Asa is criticised because in his sickness he sought not the Lord. And what was wrong in Asa is wrong in every other man. You have no right to shut God out from the realm of pharmacy and therapeutics. 'In all thy ways acknowledge him and he shall direct thy paths.'"

Then the speaker traced briefly the honorable history of surgery and medicine, from Hippocrates, the Greek, down to Jenner, who fought successfully the plague of small pox, and to the discoveries of Simpson and Pasteur, and Sir Joseph Lister and Koch. The speaker showed how the medical profession had led in suggesting better methods of caring for the insane, in improving health and human longevity.

The second division of the sermon outlined some of the temptations that beset the physician's calling. From careful information which he had gleamed from honorable men of the profession, he showed how a young doctor may be offered large fees for performing some criminal operation; how there is a temptation to secure a patient at any cost, and how sometimes the charges for medical service seems to the laymen too high.

"But after all has been said," continued the preacher, "I gladly pay my tribute to the heroism and patience and efficiency of the average doctor in the community. There are few equals to the practitioner who sacrifices so much for the relief of suffering humanity, who goes at the calls of what he knows will be unpaid labor, and who does his best for rich and poor alike."

The last division of the sermon gave several reasons why all physicians should be Christians, men of reverence, men of consecration and men of prayer. The sermon sparkled with humorous and graphic illustrations, and for forty minutes held the closest attention of the large audience.

The selection by the new quartet and the solos by Mrs. Plummer were excellent and appreciated by all.

Next Sunday evening the three lodges of the A. O. U. W. in the city are to attend services at Plymouth church, a part of which will be of a memorial character.

The Hibernian Rifles were photographed yesterday afternoon.

TICKET FORGERY.

Missouri Crooks Engage in a Big Business.

Their Peculations Cover a Period of Many Years and Involve Many Hundreds of Dollars.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 17.—A long series of railroad ticket forgeries has come to light here which is believed to have been carried on a number of years. The alleged forged tickets were over the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road and connecting line. A warrant has been issued here for the arrest of August E. Ambs, of St. Louis, who until two years ago was engaged in the ticket scalping business in this city. The fraudulent tickets were sold during the time of Walter Young as city ticket agent of the Santa Fe in this city. Young committed suicide nearly four years ago and left nothing to explain the deed. It is thought he may have known something about the forged tickets. After Ambs became financially embarrased he deposited the tickets in the National bank of St. Joseph. He was unable to redeem them and they were placed on sale by another broker. The sale of the tickets was very slow and that is the reason that the fraud has been so long in being discovered. The value of the mileage represented by the tickets runs up into the thousands, although it is not known how many of them were disposed of. Ambs has been arrested.

AT THE HOTELS.

Partial List of Guests at the Different City Hotels.

James McCormick, Bluffton; G. V. Kell, Huntington; M. Clinton and wife, South Whitley; C B. Mathers, Lafayette; D. N. Chamberlain, Sioux Falls; J. B. Drago, Toledo; N. N. Latimer, Mentone; M. C. Coulter, Bucyrus; T. M. Palmer, Battle Creek; A. A. Moorhaus, C. A. Doering, Cincinnati; J. F. Byers, Philadelphia; J. S. Wilkins, St. Louis; J. J. Schneider, Sheboygan; L. A. Snyder, Springfield.

Wayne—W. B. Morris, Philadelphia; C. B. Crumdall, C. C. McDowell; Chicago; M. Slusser, H. Y. Coffey, New York; P. Van Baeler and wife, Huntington: H. C. Richie, Louisville; George W. Emery, Pittsburg; Wm. S. Davis, Boston; C. H. Day, Cleveland; Joe Dillenbery, Baltimore.

New Aveline—G. F. Marvin, Newark, Ohio; M. E. Kiplinger, Canton, Ohio; J. P. Shaffer, W. E. Salisbury, Toledo; W. F. Garrettson, Detroit; J. H. Schug, Richmond; C. H. Carpenter, St. Louis; James Mills, Cincinnati; A. A. Taylor and wife, Chicago; A. Glass, Columbus, Ohio.

Rich—J. G. Ray, Warren, Ind.; Wm. Wiley, W. B. Bennett, Grand Rapids; J. W. Biddle, Dr. Martin, Toledo; H. A. Hathaway, W. W. Williams, C. H. Morgan, Chicago; J. A. Morrell, Lagrange; Monroe Doctor, Muncie, Ind.; W. H. Strayer, North Manchester.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Fulton county claims the poet, Joaquin Miller, as a former citizen.

The W. C. T. U. of Wabash will make an effort to have the city council pass a curfew ordinance.

Amos Sines, one of the pioneer citizens of Whitley county, is dead, at the age of seventy-nine years.

Walter Loveday, aged five, was shot in the face with a toy air-gun in the hands of Leon Leslie, aged nine, at Warsaw Saturday.

Bluffton citizens are agitating the question of a new opera house and there is hope that capitalists may be interested in the project.

Up to date $670 has been subscribed for drilling an oil well in Ossian. The Fort Wayne Gas company has taken $100 worth of stock.

The experimental oil well at Huntington was completed by drilling into salt water. There is much disappointment among the stockholders.

Dr. A. C. Mendenhall, who was arrested in Kosciusko county a few weeks since while calling upon a young lady, has been convicted of bigamy at Jackson, Mich.

The sportsmen of Huntington county will hold a meeting at Huntington on the 19th inst., to discuss the feasibility of stocking farms in that county with the Chinese pheasant.

The Sutherlin murder trial will begin at Plymouth next week. This will be the second trial of Sutherlin for the murder of Ed Fetters. He was given a life sentence, but the supreme court set the verdict aside.

Samuel Evans, a Decatur young man who spent an inheritance of $10,000 in thirty days, then forged a note for $100 on his guardian, D. D. Studebaker, for which he was sent to the pen, has been paroled by the governor. His health is broken.

Jonathan Montgomery, died at Rochester, Saturday, at the age of ninety-seven. He had been a resident of Fulton county since 1860. He was a forty-niner in the California gold excitement and became wealthy. He attributed his long life to temperate habits.

Joseph Cruk and Jesse Mason, brothers-in-law, and influential men living near Montpelier, came to blows over money matters. Cruk assaulted Mason, breaking one rib, cutting a severe gash over his right eye and probably inflicting internal injuries. Cruk could not be found be the police.

A party of seven Albion men will leave in a few days for the Klonkike gold fields. Friday they sent to Seattle a car load of supplies and the party will start in time to reach the seaport by the time their freight car arrives. The supplies include everything needed for an eighteen months' sojourn in Alaska excepting flour, and were purchased through an Albion merchant. The

AN OPEN LETTER

From Miss Sachner, of Columbus, O., to Ailing Women.

To all women who are ill:—It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit I have derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I can hardly find words to express my gratitude for the boon given to suffering women in that excellent remedy. Before taking the Compound I was thin, sallow, and nervous. I was troubled with leucorrhœa, and my menstrual periods were very irregular. I tried three physicians and gradually grew worse. About a year ago I was advised by a friend to try Mrs. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and Vegetable Compound, which I did. After using three bottles of the Vegetable Compound and one package of Sanative Wash, I am now enjoying better health than I ever did, and attribute the same to your wonderful remedies. I cannot find words to express what a Godsend they have been to me.

Whenever I begin to feel nervous and ill, I know I have a never-failing physician at hand. It would afford me pleasure to know that my words had directed some suffering sister to health and strength through those most excellent remedies.—Miss May Sachner, 348½ E. Rich St., Columbus, O.

members of the party are Homer Riddle, Daniel Winebrenner, John Hoffman, Gustave Hann, Carl Simon, John Yeager and Fred Kimble.

Johnson Brownlee, one of the oldest and best-known citizens of Plymouth, died suddenly Saturday morning while seated in a chair at his home. He was one of the early recorders of Marshall county and bore the distinction of being the oldest Masonic secretary in the United States. For years he had been acting as tax collector. He was seventy-eight years old.

ON ANNEXATION.

The Addition of South Wayne Territory Considered.

Councilmen and Board of Works Will go Over the Ground--The District Under Consideration.

There has been some talk of annexing to the city the district between Hoagland avenue and Hanna street, in order that the property owners in that locality will come in for a share of the expense attached to building the South Wayne sewer.

This morning Mr. Eggeman, of the board of works, said that Councilmen Glenn and McMahon were contemplating a trip over the ground and that members of the board will accompany them. The territory under consideration is extensive and when the new sewer is built will have drainage into it. Under the circumstances it appears proper that the people owning property there be assessed with others. The matter will come up before the council in the near future.

TIPPECANOE MINSTRELS.

Great Show at the Temple on January 28th--Members of the Company.

On the evening of the 28th inst., the flag on the city building will be placed at half-mast, the bells will toll their solemn chimes and the police force will be increased to see that everybody feels sorry. The Tippecanoe club on that evening will give a minstrel performance at the Masonic Temple. When the expected large audience is seated the doors will be locked and there will be no escape from the scene of the struggle which, which for two hours and a half will be carried on by the actors. Jennison & William's orchestra is rehearsing several dirges for the occasion which will be played after some of the heaviest jokes are exploded. Those who will take part in the olio are as follows:

End Men, Bones—Art Dougall, W. W. Bogart, Otto Hild, George Kiel.

Tambos—F. E. Coley, Amos Richey, C. P. Planck, John W. Anderson.

Interlocutor—L. A. Worch.

Double Quartet—Clint Wilson, Tom Snook, Victor Russell, Ferd Urbahns, Arch Bradley, Walter Gerberding, Corneilus Smith, Will McKay.

Chorus of twenty-five. Director, Prof. R. Thomas.

Orchestra—Jennison & Williams.

Stage Manager—E. C. Buck.

There will be a number of specialty sketches, athletic features and other squibs of entertainment before the appearance of the Dougall brothers, in a sketch entitled "In Gay Fort Wayne." The performance will conclude with a thrilling drama, entitled "A Morning at the City Hall." The cast of characters will be as follows:

Written especially for this performance.

ROLE OF CHARACTERS.

Scene—Police Court. Time—Any Day at 9:30 a. m.

Mayor Sissors .... W. W. McKay
Prosecuting Attorney Dough Nut .... John Dougall
Lieut. Snapp .... J. A. Anderson
Supt. Clothes-Line .... A. Richey
Officer Scotty .... Otto Meyers
Officer Spillmore .... Frank Cutshall
Officer Romeo .... Clint Willson
Officer Shivering .... Elmer Hulse
Officer Dull .... Bradley
Janitor De Yell .... Otto Hild
Klondike Charley, "seen better days" .... W. W. Bogart
Ludwig Von Winkle-Stein-Hosen-Blaser, a Wandering Minstrel .... W. Kaiser
Arson Doolittle, an Anarchist .... Art Dougall
Hezekiah, a Whistling Coon, } .... F. E. Caley
Jeremiah, a Chicken Thief, }
Brother Johnsing, another Chicken Thief .... L. A. Worch
Patrol horses, office cat and detectives, handcuffs, hangers-on, etc., etc.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

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DID NOT ASK FULL PARDON.

Former President Cleveland on His Petition for W. D. Worden.

Princeton, N. J., 17.—Former President Cleveland says regarding his letter to Governor Budd, of California, in which he asked executive clemency for Walter D. Worden, sentenced to hang for train wrecking:

"There is little to say about the Worden case. I knew the history of the case very well, know what the man was and the position and standing of his family. I think the man should be punished for his crime, but not by hanging. I did not ask the governor of California for a complete pardon for Worden, but only for a commutation of his sentence.

"I think a life sentence in the penitentiary would suffice for his crime. That is about all. I might tell the whole matter connected with the case but that would be of little good. I have not received a reply as yet from Governor Budd."

WARNED AGAINST NORDHAM

Fight Against the New Commander-in-Chief of the Catholic Knights.

Anderson, Ind., Jan. 17.—Indiana uniform rank, Knights of America commanderies, today received official instructions from Commander-in-Chief Kadeski in which he warns the officers against recognizing J. W. Nordham, of Vincennes, as commander-in-chief, holding that the gathering in Mobile last week, at which Nordham was elected, was irregular and illegal and that forgery was used in the proceedings.

The matter will be taken into the courts or the pope will be asked to interfere. The order now numbers nearly 20,000 members, and is the recognized military body of the Catholic church in America. It is likely that the fight will split the organization.

TO TAX LIFE INSURANCE.

Governor Mount Wants to Assess Policies Having a Surrender Value.

Indianapolis, Jan. 17.—Governor Mount, upon whose suggestion the board of tax commissioners acted when it directed that township assessors list life insurance policies, says he will give the subject prominence in his message to the legislature and will ask that the law be amended so as to state specifically that policies shall be taxed.

The governor says as a rule men do not carry life insurance with the view of providing against poverty; they carry it as an investment.

Under the decision of the majority of the supreme court a life insurance policy that has a cash surrender value is "property," and the governor says there is no valid reason why it should not be taxed.

NO MAILS SINCE AUGUST.

People at Dawson City Think Their Governments Have Forgotten Them.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 17.—Dawson City has received no regular mails since last August. Both American and Canadian miners there believe their respective governments have forgotten them so far as mail facilities are concerned. Many of the miners have paid $1 per letter at Dawson to have mail brought out to relatives and friends. Generally this has been carried through to the sound cities, though one or two parties report some of this mail was discarded by the carriers and is to be found scattered along the upper Yukon and lakes.

WITNESSES GONE.

Case Against Indiana White Caps May Fail for Lack of Them.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 17.—The trial of the nine men indicted for white capping, set for today, promises to be one of the most sensatisnal in the history of southern Indiana. A report is just received that the white caps have induced Milton Southers and his family to leave the state, as they cannot be found. They were the victims of the outrage, and if the report is true the cases will probably have to be dismissed for lack of evidence.

SENT TO COLUMBUS.

Remains of Albert C. Greenleaf, Who Suicided in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—The remains of Albert C. Greenleaf, who jumped from the sixteenth floor of the Masonic temple Saturday have been sent to Columbus, Ohio, for burial. H. C. Bancroft, of the firm of Bancroft and Sheldon, dry goods merchants at Columbus, who was a brother-in-law of Greenleaf, accompanied the remains to Ohio.

Pensions for Indianians.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Pensions have been granted to the following Indianians:

Original—Milton H. Snyder, National Military Home, Grant; Chas. J. Many, Indianapolis; Benjamin F. Burges, Clinton.

Additional—David M. Dove, Irvington.

Mexican War Widows—Catherine Huckemeier, Richmond.

Reissue—James M. Watkins, New Albany; William J. Byers, Shoal.

Original Widows, Etc.—Margaret Black, Selma; minor of Dallas Lawson, Lapel; minor of Charles W. Holmes, Farmersville; minor of Joseph Wisemiller, Indianapolis; minor of Andrew J. Wells, sr., Muncie; Mary F. Harris, Jeffersonville.

It Will Surprise You.

In order to prove the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most effective cure for Catarrh and Cold in Head, your druggist will supply a generous 10 cent trial size or we will mail for 10 cents. Full size 50 cts. Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio.

Father of Miss Cisneros Arrives.

New York, Jan. 17.—Among the passengers who arrived today on board the Ward line steamer Saratoga from Havana was Augustin Cosio, the father of Angelina Cos[illegible] Cosio was received by General Blanco on Sunday, January 9.

BOY MURDERER'S VICTIMS.

Fifteen-Year-Old Child Kills One Playmate, While Second Escapes.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 17.—The body of the five-year-old Percy Lockyar, who is believed to have been murdered on Friday night last by fifteen-year-old Samuel Henderson, was found in the bottom of "Reddie" creek.

The body was weighted by two heavy stones, one about his neck and the other around his ankles. His skull was crushed in and there was a knife thrust just above the heart, and similar wounds on his breast, side and forehead, while on one side of his face was a long cut extending from below the eye to the chin.

Henderson, who is under arrest, does not seem to realize the enormity of his crime. He admitted a knowledge of the knife thrust, but said it was due to the child accidentally running against an open knife. Henderson became alarmed at this and said he threw the boy into the creek.

When shown the mutilated body of the child, he admitted that he was responsible for the cuts, but he still persisted that it was an accident.

The police assert that Henderson accompanied Lockyar and Willie Addison, aged seven years, to the woods, as he told yesterday, but instead of any accident happening to either Henderson tied both children to a tree. Addison broke away and ran home. It was then, it is said, that young Lockyer's death was accomplished.

DORA CLAY GOES HOME.

Receives an Affectionate Welcome From Her Aged Husband.

Valley View, Ky., Jan. 17.—Dora Richardson Clay, bespattered with mud, her hair disheveled and scarcely able to stand, arrived at Whitehall at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She was met at the yard gate by Jim Littrell, who let her in.

Littrell says the old man held his wife in close embrace for several minutes and then led her into the house. He thinks General Clay will not allow Dora to leave Whitehall again, and intimated that the general would re-enforce the guard with four or five nervy men who could be depended upon to shoot any intruder.

Littrell says the general will prosecute Clell Richardson to the full extent of the law for shooting at Dora.

EARLY MORNING FIRE.

Several Large Firms in Chicago Sustain Heavy Losses.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Eight firms, with stocks aggregating half a million dollars sustained heavy losses by fire that broke out at 6:30 o'clock this morning in the building at the northwest corner of Market and Quincy streets. They are: L. C. Wachsmuth & Co., clothing, loss mostly by water; Adams Bros., dry goods, loss complete; Taylor & Parrette, wholesale dealers in hats, loss by water; Worcester Corset Co., loss complete; Fred Kauffman & Co., tailors, loss complete; Skinner Bros., dealers in woolen goods, loss complete; Nickerson & Co., dry goods, loss complete; Cleutt, Coon & Co., collars and cuffs, damage by fire and water.

ILLUSION DISPELLED.

The Great Fair Estate Dwindles from $40,000,000 to $12,000,000.

San Francisco, Jan. 17.—The Chronicle says:

A popular illusion will be rudely dispelled today when the appraisement and inventory of the estate of the late Senator James G. Fair are filed with the superior court. Instead of $40,000,000 at which it has been estimated, its value will be shown by itemized figures to be $12,228,998,67. The figures are the result of eleven months of examination and research on the part of the appraisers, R. V. Dey, G. L. Bresse and A. E. Leigh, all men acquainted with realty values and more or less familiar with the many enterprises in which Fair was engaged at the time of his demise.

CRAZY OVER RELIGION.

Indiana Farmer Imagines Himself a Devil and Seeks to Murder.

Columbus, Ind., Jan. 17.—Nathan B. Davis, a farmer near this city, has gone raving mad over religion and imagines he is the devil. He is of a large, muscular build, and it is almost impossible to keep him from killing himself and everybody he sees.

Last night he broke his bindings and severely injured two of the seven attendants before he was subdued.

Davis attended a revival meeting at the Sandcreek Quaker church which lasted all day and all night constantly for a week.

MAY GET WELL.

Mrs. Lucille Lane, Who Shot Herself in Washington.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Lucille Lane, daughter of Ex-Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky, who shot herself late Saturday night passed a very comfortable night and seemed to be improving this morning. No operation has been performed as yet to locate the bullet and ascertain the course it took. There is yet some doubt whether the shooting was accidental or an attempt to commit suicide.

Wants Another Go With Walcott.

San Francisco, Jan. 17.—George Green, the pugilist, is out with a challenge for another match with Joe Walcott, at catch weights and the largest purse offered. He stipulates that the winner of the match shall challenge McCoy for the middle weight championship.

Mothers, be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. MaySeod&w

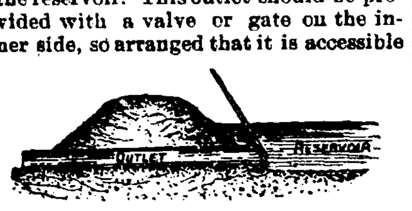
FARM AND GARDEN

IRRIGATION RESERVOIRS.

The Outlet and Its Valve or Gate—A Simple but Efficient Gate.

Where storm waters are employed the construction of the reservoir if of considerable size should be under the supervision of an engineer. In his paper on irrigation of the great plains Fred H. Newell gives valuable suggestions concerning the construction of reservoirs, including the following concerning the outlet. He says:

In building the walls one of the first things to consider is the outlet. This should be placed in such a position that the water will be delivered conveniently to the ditches, and its position should be so low that it will completely empty the reservoir. This outlet should be provided with a valve or gate on the inner side, so arranged that it is accessible



SECTION OF RESERVOIR BANK.

at all times. It is usual to construct this outlet of boards or plank in the form of a long box from 8 to 18 inches in width and height. For permanence it might be better to use a metal pipe, but it is probable that the wooden outlet will serve for a sufficient number of years.

Having placed the outlet box or pipe in proper position, great care must be taken in building the wall at this particular place to secure a tight joint. Clay should be carefully tamped around and under the box, and as an additional precaution it is well to provide the box with wings or ribs projecting outward into the earth bank and preventing the percolation of water along the contact plane between earth and the wood or metal. The gate on the inside end of the outlet may be of any one of a great variety of forms, from a simple board placed securely against the end to the expensive metal valve used for city purposes.

One of the simplest and most efficient gates in use consists of a broad plank covering the end of the box, which is cut off in such a position as to slope diagonally upward and toward the bank. The place of contact between the end of the box and plank covering it is lined with leather or some similar substance, insuring a tight joint. The plank covering is hinged on the upper side and is extended diagonally upward by a stout bar. When this is grasped and pulled toward the bank, the valve is opened against the pressure of the water, and when the bar is released it is automatically closed. In the cut here presented is illustrated a section of reservoir bank showing the outlet.

A Big Corn Crop.

This is how I raised 150 bushels of corn to the acre: In April I put ten loads of stable manure per acre on ten acres of clover and timothy sod mixed. The last week of April I broke this ground, plowing eight inches deep. I rolled it down after the plow and then worked it once with the rotary hoe instead of disk harrow. I then harrowed twice with ordinary smoothing harrow and rolled down. I planted May 11 and 12, checking 3 feet 8 inches each way. No commercial fertilizer of any kind was used on this corn. As soon as this corn came up I cultivated once each way with the rotary hoe. I then cultivated once each way with cultivator with large shovels on, plowing shallow and keeping ground as level as possible. The ground was ordinary white oak soil and had been in grass for four years, being mowed for hay each year. The variety was the Mastodon, a large eared yellow dent, ripening in 105 to 110 days. It was planted three stalks to the hill. The entire field of ten acres will make 150 bushels to the acre.—Cor. Farmers' Review.

Marketing Honey.

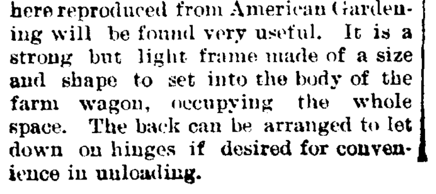
At a German bee convention a large dealer of Berlin advised that beekeepers should dispense as far as possible with the services of middlemen, dealing directly with the consumer, sell to customers at home, at the market of the next town and in groceries. For retail small glasses are preferable holding one-third, one-half, two-thirds and one pound each, with elegant labels.

Marketing Parsnips.

The demand for parsnips is best in winter, and in the southern states they are allowed to remain in the ground until wanted, while in the northern states they are dug late in fall and stored in trenches. They are shipped in small ventilated barrels, the tops having been removed and the roots washed when necessary.

Increasing the Wagon's Capacity.

It is frequently desired to haul to market or from the garden or field a load of bulky but light produce, such as cabbages, squashes, etc. The ordinary farm wagon will not hold half per haps that the team could haul. In such a case the contrivance shown in the cut



A CONVENIENT ARRANGEMENT.

here reproduced from American Gardening will be found very useful. It is a strong but light frame made of a size and shape to set into the body of the farm wagon, occupying the whole space. The back can be arranged to let down on hinges if desired for convenience in unloading.

RECLAIMING DESERTS.

Uncle Sam to Search For Trees Adapted to Arid Regions.

"A systematic canvass of the world will be made in the next four years to determine what tree or trees can best be made to grow in our arid and subarid regions," said Professor B. E. Furnow, chief of the division of forestry of the agricultural department to a representative of the Boston Transcript. Following are other statements made by the professor and of interest to dwellers in arid and subarid localities:

In the arid regions of our country the number of species that can be grown is very limited, and it is entirely possible that a study of the other arid regions of the world will produce something better than we now have. Our agents will make a special study of climatic conditions in the dry regions, here and abroad, for experience has proved, what was long a matter of theory, that seeds do not flourish in a latitude greatly different from that in which they were grown, even though the species to which they belong might flourish over a much wider area. At Grand Rapids last year we made an experiment with box elder grown from seeds collected in various parts of the country. After the first frost the elder from the seed grown in Oklahoma was frost killed while a tree of the same species grown from an Ontario seed was in a very healthy condition. After gathering the necessary information as to comparative climates we shall collect the plant material in special stations under the control of the department. At first we may co-operate with the existing state experiment stations, but that will not suffice, because these stations are naturally located in specially selected soils, and so the most untoward conditions are not met there.

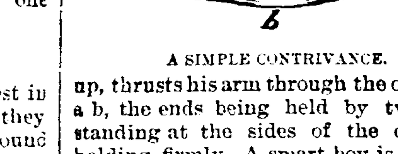
From our present knowledge there is no tree better for the subarid regions of Texas and the southwest than the mesquite. It provides shelter from the wind, furnishes fairly good firewood, and its pods are capable of being used as food for domestic animals. For the semiarid region a little farther north the cottonwood tree is about as good as anything we now have. It makes poor firewood and is a miserable tree, but may be better than nothing.

The Canadian experiment station has introduced from Russia or succeeded in reproducing an apple tree suitable for the more northern dry regions. The apple is small and poor, but is heartily appreciated where it can be made to grow. This suggests an interesting distinction. There are weeds among trees, just as much as among plants. In fact, what is a weed but a plant, the use of which has not been found out? When we find that the sunflower can be used for making oil, it then ceases to be a weed. Among trees the aspen is a weed. So are some black oaks, which do not grow to a useful size, and scrub pines. But the whole matter is relative. The mesquite would be a weed where more serviceable trees could be grown.

The effect of trees in a dry region upon the atmospheric moisture is a somewhat disputed queston. While they diminish evaporation from the soil by furnishing a shade and a windbreak, the transpiration must be taken into account on the other side. The roots of a tree are drawing the water from a great depth and giving it out to the atmosphere through the leaves, and yet here again this cannot help making the atmosphere more moist. But the main thing in the dry regions is to keep the soil granular, so the water can percolate it instead of running off into the rivers when any rain does fall. As soon as people begin to plow land I believe there is an increase of moisture, although this point is disputed. It is apparent that there are now dews in places where there were none formerly, and, although the change in climate will naturally be small and exceedingly slow in coming about, I believe some conquest of the arid regions is being made.

Relieving Choked Cattle.

When the apple or potato has not gone down far, it may be pulled up by running one's arm down and grasping it. The accompanying simple contrivance, originally illustrated and described by Country Gentleman, keeps the animal's mouth open and prevents biting, while the operator, with his coat off and sleeve



A SIMPLE CONTRIVANCE.

up, thrusts his arm through the opening, a b, the ends being held by two men standing at the sides of the cow and holding firmly. A smart boy is best, as his arm is smaller. The two boards are hard wood, half an inch thick, shaved smooth, and the blocks, c c, are just large enough to allow the arm to pass, to which the boards are firmly screwed.

Here and There.

The business of raising and feeding sheep in the west is booming this year. There is, it is said, more money in it than there has been for four years.

Sheep and wool are said to be booming in Ohio.

The rush for cattle and sheep for feeding purposes at the Chicago, Kansas City and South Omaha yards is great.

E. F. Atkins, in The Forum, places the production of beet sugar for the world in the year 1896-7 at 4,991,000 tons, of which the United States produced 40,000 tons, against a total of 2,846,000 tons of cane sugar, of which the United States produced 275,000 tons.

Complaints are reaching the Ohio experiment station regarding the appearance of insects in clover seed in such numbers as to occasion much concern among farmers.

The consumption of mutton is increasing rapidly.

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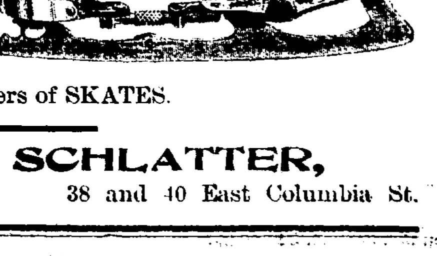

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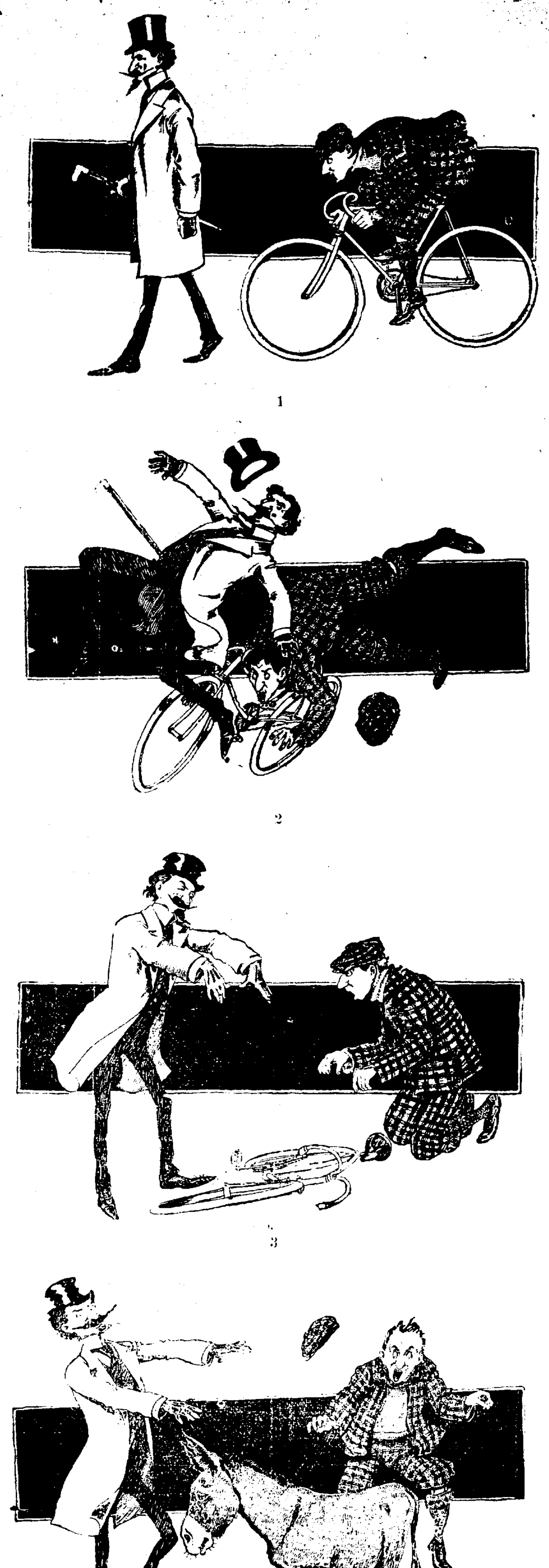

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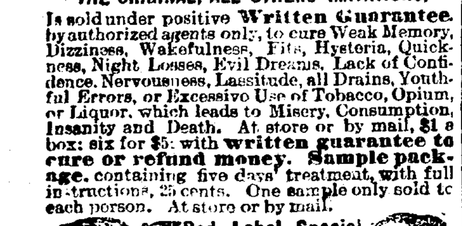

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RAILWAY AFFAIRS.

The Pennsylvania Still Leads in East Bound Shipments.

Accidents, Incidents and Personal Mention of the Industrial Centers as Gathered by Reporters.

Eastbound shipments of freight out of Chicago last week amounted to 95,695 tons, a decrease of 46,228 tons from the shipments of the previous week. The business was divided among the different railroads as follows: Michigan Central, 3,361 tons; Wabash, 6,536; Lake Shore, 11,516; Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago, 21,595; Panhandle, 11,933; Baltimore and Ohio, 7,158; Grand Trunk, 15,750; Nickel Plate, 5,693; Erie, 9,277; Big Four, 2,875.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

P. Poiry, of the Pittsburg tank shop, is off duty.

John Fraine, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, is off duty.

Last week the Pullman Palace Car company placed an order for 6,000,000 feet of pine lumber.

C. Bender and C. Thiebold, of the Pittsburg lumber yard, are off duty today, presumably on account of sickness.

The Pennsylvania has just put in operation at its shops in Altoona some electric cranes which will lift sixty tons.

Dave Simon, a clerk in Shop Clerk Meegan's office, is sick and has been removed from his rooms to the hospital.

The Anthony Wayne works have increased the number of hours of work to nine on account of the demand for washers.

Frank Deck, of the Pittsburg copper shop, returned to work this morning after several days' absence on account of an injured eye.

The Ohio Falls car works, at Jeffersonville, Ind., have 1,200 men employed and contracts that will keep them busy the entire winter.

Both Pennsylvania accommodation trains left the depot this morning with newly repainted coaches having the appearance of new trains.

N. Batchelder, of the car department of the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off duty, and W. Krudop, of the lumber yard, is also absent for the same cause.

H. Zollinger, carpenter at the Pittsburg shops, is off duty today.

The Electric corporation shipped a 125-light arc machine to Goshen, Ind., Saturday.

J. W. Menoth, foreman of locomotive repairs at the Pennsylvania company's shops at Wellsville, Ohio, is in the city.

John Nolan, the veteran Pittsburg machinist, returned to work this morning, after several days' absence on account of sickness.

Eva, the daughter of William Donnell, a machinist in the polishing room at the electric works, is recovering from a severe sickness.

Cheney Knight and Bert Olds, of the Electric corporation, are today engaged in installing a motor in the works of the Artificial Ice company.

John Norris, of the West Philadelphia shops of the Pennsylvania railroad, is a guest of Dan Petgen, foreman of the Pittsburg copper shop.

Henry Dornte, a carpenter at the electric works was initiated into the mysteries of masonry Friday evening at the meeting of Summit City lodge.

A new "air gun" was tested today in the Pittsburg machine shop. The "gun" is a compressed air machine used for driving bolts out of engine frames.

The family of David Matthews, the Grand Rapids railroad passenger conductor, are recovering from diphtheria. They reside at Grand Rapids.

Dr. E. F. Wagner, medical examiner, for the Voluntary Relief department of the Pennsylvania company, left today on No. 20 for Cleveland.

Charles W. Cross, foreman of the repair department of the Pennsylvania shops at Allegheny, is in the city and paid a visit to the Pittsburg shops this morning.

On April 1 the Pullman Palace Car company will withdraw from the New York, Ontario and Western and the Wagner Palace Car company will operate on that line.

W. S. Parry, formerly bill clerk at the Wabash freight office in this city, has accepted a position in the office of Superintendent Gould, at Peru, and assumed his duties today.

A. T. Campbell, who has charge of the freight elevator at the electric works, returned to work this morning after an absence of a week or ten days on account of sickness.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana pay car arrived in the city today. The Electric corporation will pay Thursday and the Nickel Plate road will disburse the wages its employes on Friday.

Train Dispatcher H. O. Wilson, of the Nickel Plate, is off duty for several days to visit relatives. Upon his return to his duties Train Dispatcher Urbahns will take a leave of absence.

The auditing department of the Grand Trunk road will be removed from Detroit to Montreal. General Manager Hays desires to centralize the chief offices of the company at that point.

The Nickel Plate has put in a new and large switch board in its telegraph office on Calhoun street. The company recently enlarged and improved its telegraph system from Buffalo to Chicago.

Frank Rich, formerly of this city, but now a bookkeeper at Lima, O., for Swift & Co., the Chicago meat packers, will be one of a party of Elks from that Buckeye town to witness the initiation of the large class into the local lodge of Elks tomorrow.

Next Sunday the Pennsylvania company will abandon its passenger terminal at the foot of Elm street, in Toledo, and its trains will then run into the union depot. The company will, also on that date, establish a more thorough passenger service between Pittsburg and Detroit, by way of Toledo.

The receivers of the Baltimore and Ohio have leased a number of coal cars from John Sheridan, of Allegheny, Md. They are to be paid for by mileage at the rate of six mills per mile, and when the mileage payment equals the cost of the cars they become the property of the Baltimore and Ohio.

George Sweringen and Clarence Haynes, of the Pittsburg shop clerk's office, will be initiated into the order of Elks tomorrow. The initiation will begin at 12:30 o'clock and they expect to be through at 8 p. m. The shop clerk has arranged business so as to get along with a diminished force of assistants for several days.

Captain Stoll's detectives succeeded in capturing some brass thieves who had been causing the Pennsylvania and the Nickel Plate companies much trouble at Grand Crossing. Two of the thieves were caught in the act of driving away with a cart half filled with car brasses. One of the fellows started to run away, but a bullet from Detective Cox's revolver overhauled him. He was wounded in the leg, but not seriously.

Liner Paris Overhauled.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The American line steamer Paris arrived here today from Newport News, wither she had gone to be overhauled. The Paris will resume her place in the New York-Southampton service on January 19.

OFFICERS TO MEET.

Important Meeting of Telephone Men This Week.

State Association to Have an Annual Gathering at Indianapolis Next Wednesday—Home Company in It.

The independent companies of the state have multiplied at a prodigious rate since the organization of the Home Telephone company, in this city. At the time of organization there was reason to be in some dread of the American Bell Telephone company, with its uncounted millions of capital and its numberless patents intended to cover every part of the 'phone. But the infant has grown and the meeting of the Indiana Mutual Telephone association at Indianapolis next Wednesday, to which the local company here will send representatives, includes thirty-five large and thriving exchanges, bound together for mutual profit, advantage and protection. These exchanges, with the number of telephones operated by each, are as follows:

Bedford, 80; Bluffton, 515; Bloomington, 180; Citizens, of Columbus, 197; Fountain, of Covington, 100; Frazee, of Connersville, 143; Home, of Crawfordsville, 283; Darlington, 61; Elkhart, 307; Home, of Fort Wayne, 1,200; Greencastle, 120; Hartford City, 100; Dubois county, of Jasper. Knightstown, 112; Lafayette, 700; Lafayette Toll Line company; Johnson Brothers, of Lagrange, 120; Lebanon, 131; Ladoga; Crawford county, of Leavenworth; Mitchell, 40; Merchants' Mutual, of Michigan City, 240; The Montpelier, 100; Madison, 200; The Kurtz, of Muncie, Noblesville, 94; North Manchester, 40; Home, of New Albany, 210; Shawnee, of Odell, 50; Plymouth, 150; Rochester, 190; Rushville, 133; Jasper, of Renssalaer, 225; Pyke, of Romney, toll lines; Sullivan, 40; Mutual, of Shelbyville, 200; Valparaiso, 100; The Home, of Wabash, 250.

WINTER BUILDING.

Numerous Homes Being Erected In the City.

Architects are Fairly Busy and Indications are Bought for a Busy Season Next Summer.

Building is by no means at a standstill this winter, the present building conditions being better than a year ago, and it is encouraging to know that the architects have great hopes for next summer. Nearly all of the architects have been consulted in regard to contemplated improvements, indicating a boom in dwelling houses and business buildings.

Among the buildings under way are the following:

Contractor Winner is building a cozy four room house for Mrs. Stubnatzy, on West Creighton avenue.

G. W. N. Cains is making some handsome improvements to his home on Brackenridge street.

Mrs. John Christen his having three houses built on Columbia avenue, Lakeside. They will contain modern improvements. Paul Kinder is the contractor.

Architect J. M. E. Riedel has charge of some handsome improvements to the home of Henry Schone, on East Washington street.

A. M. Tower has moved into an elegant new home on the corner of Allen and Webster streets.

A commodious suburban home is being built for M. Geisking, on his farm, north of the city. The house will contain twelve rooms, with all modern conveniences.

Architect M. J. Stock is having built at the corner of Woodland avenue and Clinton street a house that will be the model of architectural beauty and utility. The interior will be finished in hard wood.

H. W. Felts is having two houses built on Harrison street, just north of Superior street.

Trustee Wertz, of Milan township, is having Stock & Co. prepare plans for a new school house in district No. 12.

REAL ESTATE SALES

As Reported by the Dreibelbiss Abstract Company.

Harriet and Joseph Runnison to George Bear, south half east half northwest quarter northeast quarter, section 19, township 32, range 11 east, containing 10 acres, for $250.

Lucien Ort to George Bear, part northeast quarter section 19, township 32, range 11 east, for $35.

Lillie E. and Charles N. Haskell to Malachi C. Cooper, part southeast quarter section 7, township 30, range 13 east, for $1,000.

William and Lucy Moore to Edward N. Wann, part southwest quarter section 26, township 32, part southwest quarter section 26, range 14 east, containing 15 acres, for $850.

Bernard and Hattie Eickhoff to William Hartle, east 32 feet, lot 2, and west 3 feet lot 1, Eickhoff's sub., for $550.

Gustave Jacobs to Paulina Weinecke, lot 38, Nelson's addition, and lots 16 and 21, Moran's sub., for $3,100.

MERRY AND SMITH.

The Murderers of Merry's Wife Put on Trial at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The trial of Christopher Merry and James Smith, the peddlers charged with the murder of Merry's wife, was begun in Judge Horton's court today. The court room was packed and hundreds were turned away. The crowd outside was as great as at any time during the first trial of the alleged wife murderer, Luetgert. Marshal McNutt, of Eddyville, Ky., and Marshal Wilson, of Princeton, Ky., who arrested Merry and Smith, were in court and will be among the first witnesses for the state.

An Editor Dangerously Ill.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Jan. 17.—The condition of Charles M. Shortridge, editor and proprietor of the Mercury, who is ill at the Gilroy hot springs, is critical, and there is little expectation of his recovery.

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DEATH CONQUERS.

Hon. Ben Butterworth Succumbs to Long Illness.

Passes Away in Georgia, Where He Had Gone for His Health—His Career.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Jan. 17.—Benjamin Butterworth, United States commissioner of patents, who has been ill at Piney Woods hotel here several weeks, died at 3:15 yesterday afternoon. The end was peaceful, and when it came his wife and children were at his bedside. He came here to recuperate from an attack of pneumonia and recovered rapidly till two weeks ago, when he suffered from uraemic convulsions. From that relapse he never recovered. His body will be sent to Washington tomorrow.

Mr. Butterworth was taken seriously ill in Cleveland last November, and for a while his life was despaired of, but he rallied after he came here in the hope of regaining his strength.

Mr. Butterworth was born in Warren county, Ohio, October 22, 1839. His people were all quakers on both sides. John Linton, who was conspicuous among those who emigrated to Pennsylvania with William Penn, was his maternal ancestor. Until he was eighteen years of age young Butterworth lived on his parents' farm, with such advantages of education as farmers' children usually had in those days. As is generally the case with young men of talent and restless ambition, farming soon proved uncongenial to his tastes, and he decided to fit himself for a professional life. He went to Cincinnati and entered the law office of Durbin Ward, where he pursued his legal studies for two years, and graduated at the Cincinnati Law school in 1861.

His public life began in 1868 and he held successively many minor offices until 1878, when he was nominated by the republicans of the First Ohio district, in Cincinnati, for congress. He was elected. He was re-elected in 1880, and was renominated in 1882, but encountered his first defeat. In 1883 he was appointed by President Arthur to the office of commissioner of patents. In 1884 Mr. Butterworth was again elected to congress and in 1886 he carried his district for the fourth time. During the last campaign he was active in his support of President McKinley. April 1, last, he was appointed by the president commissioner of patents.

A RACE FOR GOLD.

Two Klondikers Brave the Awful Arctic Weather for Riches.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—With the thermometer thirty degrees below zero, a midnight race over thirty-five miles of rough mountain country in the heart of the Klondike has earned for George Graham and Shelton Logger, the first prize of staking off overlooked and unregistered placer claims valued at $600,000.

Graham was at the Canadian register's office on the afternoon of November 15 when a man rushed in and filed a claim on French Pete creek, which adjoins the richest part of Eldorado. He had discovered that in the rush to stake the Klondike district five claims on French Pete creek had been overlooked. Graham rushed to locate the others, having given the tip to three of his friends. They were followed in a wild race by 200 other miners, but succeeded in getting on the coveted ground first.

HORRIBLE CRIME.

John Matthews Kills His Wife and Children and Commits Suicide.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A case of what appears to be a triple murder and the suicide of the murderer was discovered today when the bodies of John Matthews, his wife and two children, a boy ten years old and a girl of twelve years, were found dead in the Matthews home on Columbus avenue. It is supposed that Matthews murdered his wife and children and then committed suicide by shooting. Matthews was thirty-five years of age and his wife thirty.

GEORGE GOULD AS A JUROR.

Drawn in New Jersey in Company With a Former Senator.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 17.—One of the most notable grand juries ever drawn in the United States district court for the district of New Jersey is that which will be sworn in tomorrow at the opening of the January term of court. The panel will include several millionaires, among them George J. Gould, a former United States senator, four mayors and several other persons of prominence.

FASHION IN THE EAST

THERE ARE NO WOMEN DRESSMAKERS IN CHINA.

A Costume of the Cheaper Class Costs About Forty Cents, but a Really Handsome Suit Can Be Had For Two Dollars. Business Methods.

Woman, lovely woman, is very much the same the world over. In every city of Christendom her eyes turn toward Paris and her thoughts to the latest mode of that illustrious capital of fashion.

In the Flowery Kingdom they turn to the great metropolis of Canton, out of whose workshops and ateliers come garments of equal style and splendor if not of equal grace and beauty. Ignorant male travelers to the contrary notwithstanding, there is fashion in the far east just the same as there is at home.

A keen Chinese observer can tell even more from a woman's clothes about the wearer than can be done at home. Little peculiarities invisible to western eyes reveal the province where the clothes were made; equally intangible things show her status and rank. I believe there are Europeans who have mastered these mysteries, at least I have been told so, although I have never yet met one.

There are no women dressmakers in China. They are all men, and every one with the importance and arrogance of Mr. Worth of Paris.

Woe to the customer who dare criticise their work or suggest improvements. So superior are they to the other sex that their clerks are men. There are any number of these establishments in the city of Canton. When you have been to one of the great ones, you have been to all.

In front of the house hangs a great signboard in scarlet and gold. It is a foot or two wide and reaches from the sidewalk up to the second or third story. The characters read: "Happiness and prosperity. The house of golden splendor, women's dresses." There are no show windows or casements of any kind. The entire front is open to the thoroughfare. There is a low and wicked railing across the entrance, however, which bids defiance to sneak thieves and compels ingress and egress through a gate as narrow as the one mentioned in Scripture. When you pass this, you find yourself in a large and very neat store some 20 feet wide, 80 feet long and 15 to 20 feet high. The walls are covered with shelving from floor to ceiling, and these seemed filled to the last available inch with bundles done up in paper of all sorts of colors. These bundles contain each one article of clothing and are supposed to be proof against moths, white ants, cockroaches and the other insect pests of the far east.

Upon each bundle in clearly written Chinese characters is a brief memorandum of the contents and the price. A small ebony counter at either end permits the exhibition of the goods, and light bamboo ladders enable the clerks to reach the upper shelves about the place. There is quite an army of employees, who seem half bookkeepers and half salesmen. There is a larger army of customers examining and buying goods. There are no shoppers. Shopping seems to be a mysterious modern vice that has reached its most deadly stage in the leading cities of Uncle Sam. If a Chinese lady were asked to go shopping, she would first want the thing explained to her and then would probably scream and run away under the impression that her interlocutor was raving mad.

The people of the establishment are very polite and bring down everything which they think approaches your desire. They first reach down the bundle and open it upon one of the counters. The folding of these bundles is extremely ingenious. They are so made up of salient and re-entering angles that when the last triangular point is folded over and forced into itself it is impossible for any living thing or even for dust to get inside of it. On one occasion I dropped a bundle of this sort overboard and fished it out again. After drying the outside I opened it and to my surprise and delight found that the water had not penetrated to the goods within.

The bundle, opened, discloses the garment inside neatly folded according to the conventional system employed by the Chinese trade. There is not much variety to woman's garments in China, so far as general form is concerned. She wears a pair of trousers which always come from the upper waist to the ankles and a coat which is either long or short. In these bundles, therefore, if it is not inexpressibles it is a coat, and vice versa. The cheapest goods are made of light thin muslin or cotton cloth dyed black, brown or blue. Other colors are also used, but to no such extent as the three first named. The trousers are unbroken and are held in place by a string or belt. The coat is also a single piece and is fastened with little frogs. In cheap materials the frogs are plain cotton cord of the same color as the suiting.

A costume of the cheap class costs usually 40 cents, but sometimes it is sold as low as 30. Next in grade are those made from finer stuffs, sheetings, drills, teacloth, long ells, camelots and Indian muslins. These range from 50 cents to 70 cents. Here the button of the frog is made of brass, glass or dark wood and is so arranged that it can be taken off and replaced easily and quickly. Then come suits made of light woolens, fine flannels, Japanese crapes, canton flannel, alpaca, camel's hair and grasscloth. These range from 75 cents to $2. In these the frogs are more elaborate, and the frog buttons are gilded or made out of pretty hollow metal. Here, too, come in special suits, rain coats and trousers which are sometimes waterproof, but more frequently aquapellent, and winter clothing, which in its simplest form is made from cloth heavily padded with cotton and in more luxurious forms of any fine goods lined with fur. The prices of these naturally vary to the greatest extreme. A suit made of sheeting thickly padded with cotton and tufted can be secured for $1, while the silk coat lined with tiger cub fur or other handsome skin will often cost as high as $75. The more expensive articles are worn by the wives of the great officials, who are not 1 per cent of the entire population.

Next in the scale is silk apparel. This is what maketh glad the Celestial heart. The poorest boatwoman saves up her money cent by cent until she has accumulated the amount necessary to buy a coveted silk robe. She will even wear a silk coat with ragged cotton trousers, but a silk coat she must have as an evidence of respectability. The variety of silks is something perfectly wonderful. You can get pretty silk from the province of Fukien in delicate colors, which makes exquisite underwear as well as fetching summer dresses, for 14 cents per yard. From this the prices range upward. For 25 and 30 cents you can get handsome, finely finished silks that will last five or six years. Then there are bamboo silks from the north, which are so called, because each thread is as strong, firm and durable as the fibers of that wonderful wood. There are [illegible] to our own grosgrain, but with a gloss like the finest satin. There are bright silks and dull silks, heavy and light, smooth finished and rough finished and in more colors than were ever dreamed of in the looms of Lyons.

The moment you buy a robe the fact is noted, not alone in the salesbook, but also in what might be called an order book, and the very next day a duplicate of your purchase is under way. It is finished as rapidly as possible so that the assortment in the store may be kept up at its proper limit. This is a good rule for the styles which sell rapidly. As to other styles, they remain upon the shelves only heaven knows how long. Such institutions as the bargain counter and sales of shop worn and shelf worn goods are unknown in the eccentric east. On the other hand, they have a custom unspeakably dear to the Mongolian mind. Toward the close of the year nearly every tradesman wants a large amount of ready cash. Sometimes it is to pay off the debts of the business and start the new year free and clear, sometimes it is for the charities and festivals for which the land is famous. They then mark down their older goods a reasonable amount, and when this does not bring in enough money they keep it up the first two or three weeks of the new year. In this way there are bargains and, of course, bargain hunters and bargain buyers.

The business is almost entirely a cash business. Credits are given, but so rarely as to occasion remark. The dealer is satisfied with a small profit, and neither tries to make a fortune in a single year nor to pose as a philanthropist like some of the goodly people of Philadelphia.

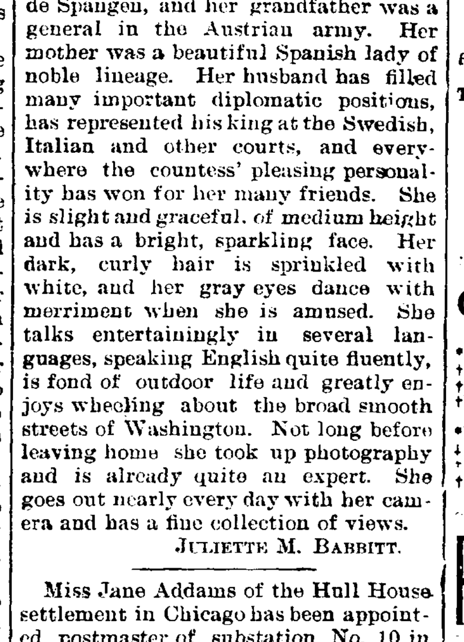
MARGHERITA ARLINA HAMM.

COUNTESS LICHTERVELDE.

Pleasing Personality of the New Belgian Minister's Wife.

Count G. de Lichtervelde, the new minister from Belgium, is one of the tallest and finest looking men in the diplomatic corps at Washington. When he was presented to President Cleveland for the first time last February, he pleasantly referred to his stay in this country some 25 years ago in the beginning of his diplomatic career. He did not bring his family with him last year. When he came back in November, he was accompanied by his wife and the youngest of their five sons, a handsome boy of 7 years, who is at school in Washington. The other boys are pursuing their studies at home, the eldest, about 21, intending to follow in his father's footsteps.

Count and Countess de Lichtervelde are members of two of the oldest and most distinguished families in Belgium.



COUNTESS DE LICHTERVELDE.

The countess' ancestors were the Counts de Spangen, and her grandfather was a general in the Austrian army. Her mother was a beautiful Spanish lady of noble lineage. Her husband has filled many important diplomatic positions, has represented his king at the Swedish, Italian and other courts, and everywhere the countess' pleasing personality has won for her many friends. She is slight and graceful, of medium height and has a bright, sparkling face. Her dark, curly hair is sprinkled with white, and her gray eyes dance with merriment when she is amused. She talks entertainingly in several languages, speaking English quite fluently, is fond of outdoor life and greatly enjoys wheeling about the broad smooth streets of Washington. Not long before leaving home she took up photography and is already quite an expert. She goes out nearly every day with her camera and has a fine collection of views.

JULIETTE M. BABBITT.

Miss Jane Addams of the Hull House settlement in Chicago has been appointed postmaster of substation No. 10 in that city; salary, $2,400. Now Miss Addams will be able to make practical application of still more of her philanthropic plans.

NOT THE ONLY PEBBLE.

The Bride Soon Convinced Sam That There Were Others.

As I reached a bend in the road that leads to San Dimas I came upon a young woman sitting upon an object in the middle of the road. I soon discovered that it was a young man, but his head was jammed so far down in the sand as to be unrecognizable.

"Howdy, stranger?" exclaimed the young woman as she grinned up at me. "I'm settin on Sam!"

"So I see," I answered.

"Me an him hev jes' bin down ter the meetin house gittin spliced."

"What seems to be the trouble now?"

"Thar ain't no trouble now, stranger. The enemy has bin crushed, an the victor is now restin on her laurels. Ye see, it wuz this way, stranger. We wuz comin along yere with our arms around each other's necks, an a-billin an a-cooin like two turtledoves when Sam yere jumped up inter the air, an crackin his heels tergether yelled:

"'Whoopee, I'm the only pebble on the beach!'

"'What's thet?' says I.

"'I'm the only pebble on the beach,' says he.

"'Sam Grubbs,' says I, 'yer a liar.' An then the fout commenced, an it didn't take Sam but three minutes ter find out thet he wuzn't the pum'kins thet he thought he wuz.

"Yere, Sam," she cried, seizing hold of the youth's hair and pulling his head out of the sand where it was jammed, "tell the stranger what ye are."

"I'm a little clam," he answered sullenly.

"Thet ain't all of it, Sam. Tell the rest of it or I'll wallop ye ag'in."

"On the beach"—

"Go ahead, Sam," she cried encouragingly.

—"at low tide."

"Thar, ye hear, stranger!" she cried triumphantly. "Thet's what he is. He's only a little clam on the beach at low tide. Ye kin move on now, stranger. I'm goin ter set on Sam a little longer so as ter make sure that he won't fergit what he is."—New York Sunday World.

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Author—What do you think of my new book?

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Author—Do you really think so?

Friend—Yes, but it seems to have been wretchedly cooked.

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*7 45 p.m.	†12 15 p.m.
*9 25 p.m. Limited	* 4 30 p.m.
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†From Crestline	*8 45 p.m.

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†	2 55 pm
†From Richmond arrives	8 25 pm
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†	12 35 pm
†From Grand Rapids arrives	7 15 pm

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2.	N. Y. & Boston Lim., daily	5 33 a.m.
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6.	N. Y. & N. Eng. Flyer, daily	11 50 a.m.
4.	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	6 30 p.m.
10.	Decatur Accom. arrives ex. Sunday	8 45 p.m.
	GOING WEST.	
11.	Decatur Accom., ex. Sunday	5 31 a.m.
5.	Pacific Ex., ex. Sunday	9 33 a.m.
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No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p m
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No. 462 Way Freight	5 25 pm
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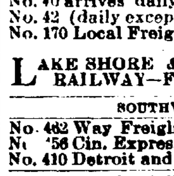
No. 463 Way Freight	6 40 am
No. 457 Through Express & Mail	11 45 am
No. 459 Detroit & Indianap'lis Ex.	4 45pm



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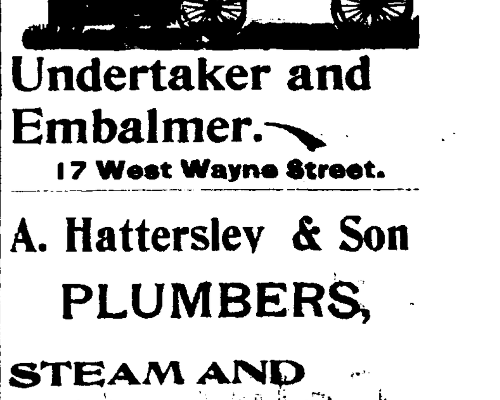

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MONDAY, JAN. 17, 1898.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—For Indiana: Threatening, with show or rain tonight and Tuesday, warmer tonight, fresh southeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Henry Zollinger, of 172 John street, is very ill.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Roche, of 8 Hough street—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kruse celebrated their silver wedding yesterday.

Mrs Charles G. Guild will leave tomorrow for a visit at Bloomington, Ill.

Host W. D. Jones, of the New Aveline, is able to be around again after an illness.

Mrs. Carl Siemon, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. F. Curtis.

Mrs. M. W. Freeman arrived from Buffalo last evening to be the guest of Mrs. Max Rubin.

William Wagner, who has been visiting his aunt in this city, left for his home in Dayton, Ohio.

Master Howard Winch entertained a number of his friends last Saturday evening, at his home.

Rev. A. W. Seabrease has been granted a two weeks' vacation. During his absence his pulpit will be supplied by Bishop White.

Charles L. Carter and W. H. Carter went to Van Wert, Ohio, today. They will put in tile floors at the court house, which is being remodeled.

Miss Christina Bleeke, of Monroe, Mich., who formerly resided with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wiegman, of East Wayne street, is visiting friends in the city.

The ladies of the Social Aid club will entertain their husbands next Friday evening by giving a "snap" social at the residence of Mrs. John Casy, 38 East Williams street.

Miss Bertha Miller, of Decatur, Ind., who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Miller, of 224 Washington boulevard, has returned to her home.

Mrs. James A. Graham will entertain the Ladies' auxiliary, Order of Eastern Star, and their friends, at her home, No. 230 East Lewis street, from 2 to 5 o'clock, Wednesday.

The meeting of Sunday school presidents, to be held at the city hall on Saturday, January 29th, promises to be largely attended. Officers from all parts of the country will be present.

The Ott farm, eleven miles north of the city, was sold Saturday to Gustave Scheffler, the West Main street tailor, for $8,000. The sale was conducted through the Niswonger agency. The farm contains 131 acres.

Miss Charlotte Lowry entertained the pupils of her Sunday school class at her home Saturday afternoon at an "autonomy" party. It was unique and greatly enjoyed. Supper was served at the close of the game.

C. B. Fitch, general agent of the National Life Insurance company, for northeastern Indiana, has just refused a flattering offer from one of the prominent eastern life insurance companies to become its manager for the west with offices at Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Olds will arrive shortly from Mattoon, Ill., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinnaird, of West Williams street. She will be accompanied by her little daughter. Mr. Olds has secured a position at Denver, Col., which offers such an inducement that they will shortly move to that city.

Mr. Z. Nye gave an earnest, practical talk at Trinity M. E. church, yesterday afternoon, to a large audience of men. He pointed out that there were 350 saloons and no City Y. M. C. A. He said that consecrated workers were needed. At the close of his remarks there were many requests for prayers. Services will be continued every night.

The True Blues met Saturday night and balloted on candidates for admission into the company. Four candidates were elected, and they will take examinations some time this week. The organization elected the following civil officers for the year 1898: Treasurer, J. W. Spice; company clerk, J. W. Peckin. The Blues will give a grand military ball to initiate their new uniforms February 24.

The Rev. S. A. Wimsey, of Cincinnati, has consented to deliver the lecture in this city on St. Patrick's day, under the auspices of St. Vincent de Paul society. He will deliver the sermon at the pontificial high mass in the morning, and will lecture at Library hall in the evening. Father Wimsey is a lecturer of national reputation, and Fort Wayne sons of Erin have reason for congratulation in securing his services.

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Best Potatoes, large and mealy, 65c bushel.

Buckwheat Flour, 10 lb sack, down to 17c sack.

Very Best Maple Syrup, 75c gal.

Best Smoked Shoulders, 6c lb.

Best Sugar Cured Hams, 9c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

E. R. Gessman is at Toledo on business.

Mrs. Hannah Collins, of 78 Lake avenue, is reported to be quite ill.

Col. D. N. Foster went to Grand Rapids this morning to buy furniture.

Mrs. T. R. Pickard is expecting as her guest this week Miss Kittering, of Defiance.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Klingman is recovering from a two weeks' illness.

Madame Vier, of Detroit, who has been the guest of Mrs. John B. Reuss, has returned home.

Miss Betsie Blake, of Monroe, Mich., is visiting Miss Minnie Narwold, of East Lewis street.

The next meeting of the International Brotherhood league will be on Sunday evening February 8th.

The W. I. B.'s will give a dancing party at the Zollinger Battery armory on the 26th of this month.

The Westminster Brotherhood will meet in the chapel of the Westminster church this evening at 7:30.

Judge E. O'Rourke lectured before a large audience at the rooms of the Theosophical society last evening, at 32 Calhoun street.

Mrs. Arwid Polster, wife of the Bloomingdale druggist, has returned from a two months' visit with relatives and friends at Pittsburg.

Mrs. William Swartzel, of 109 John street, left this morning for Dayton, Ohio, and other parts of the state, where she will visit relatives.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge, No. 342, F. and A. M., Tuesday evening, January 18, for work. All members are requested to be present.

The Homing club yesterday elected Charles Pape secretary of the races for the ensuing year. He will have charge of the pigeons used for fast flights.

Wednesday afternoon, from 2 to 5, at her home, 230 East Lewis street, Mrs. J. A. Graham will entertain Shiloh chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and friends.

At the meeting of the Royal Neighbors last Friday evening all the old officers were re-elected except the vice oracle. Mrs. Hardendorf was elected to this position.

Ben Hur court No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet this evening, as usual, in their hall, on Court street. All members are requested to be present promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

A new cooking club which has been formed among the young girls of the high school, gave a dinner Saturday evening at the home of Mae and Clara Sheperd, to which they invited their young gentlemen friends.

The Penny Benefit association of St. Julian Council, C. B. L., will meet tomorrow evening at Library hall for the annual election of officers and other business. Since this branch of the order was started four years ago it has accomplished a great deal of good.

John C. Grimme, who for many years has been connected with Grimme's tailoring establishment, has retired from that position to accept a place with Frank Rekers, of the Schmitz block. Mr. Grimme will have charge of the business department and will also go on the road in the interest of the business.

The Carroll club will meet this week with Miss Elizabeth Hedekin. The club was addressed at the last meeting by the Rev. Father Delaney on the subject of "Rationalists and Miracles." The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Louis Fox, and the hostess delightfully entertained those present after the program.

William W. Cook, of Wallen, Ind., has received official notification of his appointment to the railway mail service, as substitute. His duties will begin shortly. Mr. Cook is a graduate of the Fort Wayne high school, of the class of '93, and has many friends who will be glad to learn of his success. He had the highest per centage of any applicant who took the civil service examination last April in this city, and it was the second highest in the state.

Miss Ada Moore entertained at progressive pedro Saturday evening, it being the anniversary of her birth. She was the recipient of many presents, among which was a very handsome bicycle. Music, games and dancing were among the features of the evening, followed by a dainty luncheon served at a late hour. Miss Minnie Tegtmeyer and Joseph Bailor were awarded the first prizes and the consolation prizes were carried off by Miss Myrtle Manguan and Ed. Miller.

With the compliments of Bush & Anspach, 94 Calhoun street, THE SENTINEL has received a handsome plaster medallion of Hon. William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska. The figure is almost life-size and the likeness to the original is most striking. The medallion stands in pronounced relief to a background of silver, while beneath is an enlarged reproduction of a silver dollar, significant of Mr. Bryan's battle for the white metal and the "dollar of the daddies." The gentlemen named in the foregoing have also a similar medallion of President McKinley and they are calling on the leading democrats and republicans of the city.

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In a Superior Article of Mince Meat

Packed in 2 lb Cans and Sold for 9c Can at The Greatest Grocery.

Kleanit, for cleaning silver, brass and glass, 8c package.

Parlor Matches, 500 box, 25c doz. boxes.

Self Raising Buckwheat and Pan Cake Flour, 2 lb pkgs., 5c.

Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c quart.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

The Parliamentary Coterie met at the Y. W. C. A. this afternoon.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon, of Ida avenue—a daughter.

The Seven club will meet with Mrs. S. C. Lumbard next Wednesday afternoon.

St. Julian Council, No. 89, C. B. L., will install officers tomorrow evening at Library hall.

Miss May O'Brien, of Charles street, has recovered from a sickness of ten days with the grip.

Phillip Werstein was at Garrett, Ind., last Friday to install officers of the Catholic Benevolent Legion.

The Fortnightly club will listen to a paper on Henry David Thoreau, tonight, the subject to be presented by H. O. Wise.

Summit City lodge No. 2, D. of H., A. O. U. W., will hold their memorial services at their hall, corner Calhoun and Superior streets, Tuesday evening, January 18. All members of the order in the city are cordially invited to attend.

NEW HORROR OF WAR

AN APPALLING FEATURE THAT HAS HITHERTO BEEN OVERLOOKED.

How Could England Expect Englishmen to Do Their Duty In Battle With Their Fathers-in-law?—Possible International Complications That Worry a Thinker.

"Even the remote possibility of a war is a terrible thing to contemplate," said the thoughtful man who is always making trouble for himself by thinking.

"There is something about that observation that has a chestnutty flavor," returned the man who makes it a point never to do any more thinking than is absolutely necessary to live.

"Ah, but the thought is peculiarly horrible at this time," explained the thoughtful man. "The conditions are such that the result of a war—particularly a war with England—would be simply awful. You see, in considering these things the average man overlooks entirely the most appalling features. He fails to dwell sufficiently on the terrible conflict that would wage in the breast of many an Englishman when he should be thinking only of his duty to his country.

"Picture to yourself the young Duke of Marlborough on a gunboat just outside of New York harbor," went on the thoughtful man, warming up to his work. "Duty says he must shell the town. Puff! A boom and a wreath of smoke, and what happens? He has blown the roof off his father-in-law's house or made serious inroads into the art treasures of his wife's uncle. Shall he fire again? Think of the torture of trying to answer that question. Another shot may jeopardize a million or two that he has hopes of getting later, or it may have a serious effect upon some of his wife's investments. In addition to this he has the fortune of the dowager Duchess of Marlborough to think of, which amounted to about $7,000,000 when the late duke got his hands on it, and for all he knows some fool gunner may lop a cipher off of it without knowing what he's doing.

"And while these thoughts are flitting through the head of the young duke somebody in the next boat is very likely worrying for fear he may knock the spots out of a section of the $12,000,000 that Mrs. Marshall O. Roberts is said to have brought Colonel Ralph Vivian, while Hon. A. H. Paget, who got a little something with Miss Pauline Whitney, is trying to figure out how he can avoid hitting the stock market, and the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain is shooting blank cartridges to avoid doing any harm to the securities that he got with Miss Mary Endicott.

"At the same time L. Z. Leiter is on top of the statue of Liberty signaling to Hon. George N. Curzon for heaven's sake to spare him and his fortune, if only to show his appreciation of the $5,000,000 that he got with Miss Mary Leiter. Then there is the $2,000,000 that Miss Cornelia Martin brought to the Earl of Craven and— But why continue? Why harrow up the soul by picturing the awful struggles that would come with such a war? Why bring home to England the fearful thought that some of her most promising young men would be sorely tempted to turn back from the war and tell her to chase herself down to India or the Sudan, where there is money to be made and not money to be lost—where there are no wealthy relatives to anger or financially disable?

"I tell you, sir," and the thoughtful man became more emphatic, "there is no limit to the terrors of a war between this country and any of the European nations that are old enough to have titles to sell. Think of Prince Hatzfeldt storming the Stock Exchange with a gatling gun! Think of the Count de Castellane bombarding railroads and smashing dividends! In the old days it was possible to go to war and kill people and burn towns without doing any serious injury to oneself or one's relatives, but it isn't so now. Any shot is likely to be a boomerang, and there are relatives everywhere. It is worthy of note, too, that, although this is a young country comparatively, it is rapidly becoming the papa-in-law of all the rest of creation."

The man who makes it a point never to do any more thinking than is necessary observed the worried look of the man who is always making trouble for himself, yawned and replied carelessly:

"A war would be sort of tough, wouldn't it?"—Chicago Post.

As Mulligan Viewed It.

Mulligan—It's gettin so it's a hard matter for a mon to live in France.

O'Rourke—Phy so?

Mulligan—Phy, the birth rate over there is lower than the death rate, so a mon livin in that darned counthry stands a bigger chance of dyin than he does of bein born.—New York Sunday World.

The Highwayman's Logic.

If you didn't get what you want, of course you don't want what you got, therefore hand it over.—Boston Transcript.

Quick Lake Travel.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer: "When we put on our new boat next June," said Manager Tow Newman of the Buffalo line, "I think we will have the ideal lake route in really ideal shape. We are going to make a ten-hour run between the two cities, and I don't know where you can equal it. You see, it takes close to twenty minutes to get out of either harbor, and that leaves the actual running time about nine hours and twenty minutes, which means a fraction over twenty miles an hour. I've looked through time tables and schedules pretty thoroughly, and I don't know where you'll find a similar run. They can't do it on the Hudson, I know, and if they equal it anywhere else the books don't show it. Of course, you understand that this isn't racing speed. It's just the regular everyday rate. We could crack it up several miles better, but twenty an hour is fast enough."

Fecundity of Sparrows.

Sparrows are the rabbits of the feathered world in point of multiplication, frequently producing more than twenty young ones in a season, three or four broods of six or seven each being not unusual. In six years the progeny of one single pair of sparrows will amount to millions, as evidence the alarming rapidity with which the United States, New Zealand and Australia are now infested, the number originally taken over by emigrants being very small. Complaints from American, Australian and New Zealand agriculturists of the ravages committed by the bird are even more bitter than those of English farmers. The total numbers of sparrows are out of all proportions to those of other species of birds.

Relief for Tired Saleswomen.

Not only the saleswomen complain, but trained nurses often suffer from swollen feet, especially when they first go into hospitals. A powder which is much used in the German army for sifting into the shoes and stockings of the infantry soldiers might be of service. It consists of three parts of salicylic acid, ten parts of starch and eighty-seven parts of pulverized soapstone. This keeps the feet dry, prevents chafing and heals any sore spots. The soapstone alone, without the other ingredients, has also been found useful and soap alone will give relief when well rubbed over the sole of the stocking.

An Aluminium House.

A. F. Howes of Weymouth, Mass., has secured patents on a portable aluminium house, which, when packed for transportation, is in three bundles, weighing only 130 pounds, including stove and cooking utensils. It will house four persons, is fireproof and is called "the Klondike home."

Thanks Expressed.

The household of Walter Leach, through THE SENTINEL, wish to express their sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted them in their late bereavement in the death of their father.

MR. AND MRS. WALTER LEACH.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Wheat—Jan., 91¾c; May, 90⅞c; July, 80⅝@¾c; Sept, 75⅛c; Dec., 75¾c.

Corn—Jan., 26½c; May, 28⅞@29c; July, 30c.

Oats—Jan., 22c; May, 23⅝@¾c; July, 22c.

Pork—Jan., $9.25; May, $9.40.

Lard—Jan., $4.62; May, $4.72@4.75; July, $4.80@4.82½.

Ribs—Jan., $4.57; May, $4.67@4.70.

Ticket 23,071 is worth $10 in cash at Reuben S. Patterson's.

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Notice.

Under and by virtue of a chattel mortgage executed to me on the 17th of December, 1897, by Minnie E. Mann, I will offer for sale, on the first day of February, 1898, at number 25 Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Ind., all the personal property in my possession by virtue of said mortgage, consisting of boots, shoes, etc., for cash, and until above date at retail.

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All goods will be sold at cost this month. Dry goods, millinery, clothing, underwear, etc.

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Underwear discounted 10 per cent during our sale. Reuben S. Patterson.

Assignee's Sale.

The undersigned, as assignee of J. L. Tretheway, will, under and by virtue of an order of the Allen circuit court of Allen county, Indiana, sell, at public sale, on Tuesday, January 18th, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the store room known as No. 118 Calhoun street, in the city of Fort Wayne, being the store room formerly occupied by Tretheway Bros., a stock of shoes, rubbers and trunks and fixtures.

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All standard package coffee down to	10c lb.
Good Table Peaches	10c can.
Silver State, best in market	12½c.
Gal. Pie Peaches	25c.
Gal. Apples	25c.
New Beans down to	2½c lb.
3 lb Pumpkin	5c can.
3 lb Pie Plant	5c can.
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BIMETALLISM.

Senator Wolcott Convinced That It is Still Feasible.

But the Ratio May Have to Be Made 20 to 1.

Marcus A. Hanna Sworn in as Senator From Ohio.

The Immigration Bill Before the Senate--Mr. Gage Answers Questions of the Committee on Currency.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—In anticipation of an interesting session of the senate today all of the galleries were well filled, some time before the senate convened. Mrs. Wolcott, wife of Senator E. O. Wolcott, chairman of the bimetallic commission, who was to deliver a speech upon the work of the commission was in the diplomatic gallery with a party of friends. Many ladies from the various foreign legations were also in the diplomatic gallery.

Mr. Hanna, who has just been elected senator from Ohio, made his first appearance on the floor since his election. He was cordially greeted by his colleagues on both sides of the chamber. His coming to Washington was unexpected, as it had been announced that he would remain in Cleveland for several days to rest.

Chaplain Milburn, in his invocation, made touching references to the death of Major Benjamin Butterworth, commissioner of patents, and to that of Logan Carlisle, son of the late secretary of the treasury.

HANNA SWORN IN.

Mr. Foraker announced that the legislature of Ohio had chosen Marcus Alonozo Hanna to be senator from Ohio for the remainder of Mr. Sherman's term of six years, ending March 4, 1899. He presented Mr. Hanna's credentials and they were read. As there was no objection to the administration of the oath of office, Mr. Foraker escorted Mr. Hanna to the vice president's desk. As the two senators passed down the main aisle of the senate there was a murmur in the galleries, a craning of necks to get a good view of the two distinguished Ohioans. Mr. Hanna appeared to be in first rate health. The oath of office was administered by the vice president and Mr. Hanna's response was distinctly audible to all. Many senators hastened to extend their congratulations to Mr. Hanna after the administration of the oath.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Among the memorials presented were the remonstrances of 512 Roman Catholic societies of the United States, representing more than 50,000 members, offered by Mr. Murphy, of New York, against the enactment of the pending immigration bill.

Mr. Foraker, for the Pacific railroad committee, reported from the committee, a substitute for a bill relating to the Pacific railroads and asked for its immediate consideration. Objection was made and the report went over until tomorrow.

Mr. Hale, of the appropriation committee, reported the urgency deficiency bill passed last week by the house, and gave notice that he would call it up tomorrow at the conclusion of the routine morning business.

Senator Foraker today reported from the committee on Pacific railroads a bill authorizing the president, if necessary for the protection of the government, to bid in the Kansas Pacific railroad at the coming sale.

Mr. Harris, of Kansas, presented a resolution, for which he requested immediate consideration, asking the secretary of the treasury why, since 1882, he had omitted from his statement an item of something more than $11,000,000 interest due the United States from the Pacific railroads. Objection was made by Mr. Thurston, of Nebraska, and the resolution went over until tomorrow.

Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, presented and asked for the immediate consideration of a resolution directing the committee on pensions to ascertain by what authority the commissioner of pensions refuses to pass upon applications for increases of pensions until twelve months shall have elapsed since the last allowance was made. Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, chairman of the pension committee, objected to immediate consideration of the resolution. It went over until tomorrow.

WORK OF BIMETALLIC COMMISSION.

At 12:50 Mr. Wolcott, of Colorado, chairman of the bemetallic commission, was recognized for a speech upon the work of the commission. By this time the galleries and the floor were crowded. Mr. Wolcott was in fine voice and spoke with only occasional references to his manuscript, which he had before him. He was accorded the closest attention by his auditors, among whom were many members of the house.

Senator Wolcott, in his speech upon the work of the bimetallic commission, said: "It is my sincere conviction that an international bimetallic agreement is still feasible, by the terms of which certain countries will join us and open their mints to the unlimited coinage of silver and others will contribute to the plan an enlarged use of that metal as money; and I say this the more freely because I shall give way upon the commission to somebody more fitted for such negotiations and better able to give them his constant time. This result cannot be brought about without the expenditure of both time and patience and the persons entrusted with the duty of negotiation must have back of them the hearty support of the president and of congress."

He thought it might be necessary to change the ratio to something like 20 to 1. The famine in India is more a money famine than a food famine. He referred to the attitude of Secretary Gage on financial questions, contrasting it with the president's position, and said Secretary Gage's bill will reach limbo before it reaches the senate. In conclusion he said it would be cowardly to abandon hope and added: "International bimetallism is to the gold monometallists a stumbling block, and to the silver monometallists, foolishness, but it is nevertheless a splendid possibility; its accomplishment would be the greatest blessing that could befall our people, and to achieve it we might well afford to sink for the time the hostilities of party and the bickerings of factions."

Mr. Wolcott concluded his speech at 2:05 p. m., having spoken for an hour and fifteen minutes. As he sat down there was a burst of applause throughout the chamber, and for several minutes he was surrounded by his colleagues who desired to tender to him their congratulations.

IMMIGRATION BILL.

Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, desiring to speak upon the resolution which had been the basis of Mr. Wolcott's remarks, asked that the resolution be read. Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts, demanded the regular order, which was the immigration bill, and as he was sustained in his demand by the vice president, Mr. Allen said that, as he had the floor, he would speak upon that bill. Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, announced that he would be compelled to leave the chamber and requested Mr. Allen to yield him a few minutes for some remarks upon the bill. The request was granted. Mr. Hoar spoke in favor of the bill. Mr. Spooner, of Wisconsin, while supporting the general character of the bill, pointed out a feature which he said was indefensible, namely, that required an immigrant to both read and write some of the United States constitution. Rather than support the provision requiring the immigrant to write as well as to read, he would be compelled to vote against the bill.

The House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—This was District of Columbia day in the house and immediately after the reading of the journal Mr. Curtis, of the District of Columbia committee, claimed the day and the house proceeded to the consideration of district business.

After the passage of three bills of purely local importance the house resumed consideration of the army appropriation bill, which was begun on Saturday.

Secretary Gage and ex-Secretary Fairchild were before the house committee on banking and currency today, for a further discussion of the pending plans for currency reform. After considerable controversy among members as to how they were to be questioned, Chairman Walker made the interrogatories. In response to questions by Mr. Walker, Mr. Gage said he had been in the banking business for forty years; for ten years was president of the First National bank of Chicago, with a capital of $3,000,000 and loans and discounts of $16,000,000 to $20,000,000. He assented to Mr. Walker's question that he appeared as a banker and financier of long experience to aid the committee. The chairman asked if it was possible to use paper money and keep it at an equality with coin in purchasing power without the coin on hand. Mr. Gage thought not. Without the specie on hand there was a tendency to distrust, if not to panic, and to a demand for specie.

MEET AS FATHER AND SON.

General and Ballington Booth Exchange Friendly Greetings.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—General William Booth, of the Salvation Army, and his son, Ballington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, met by appointment Sunday in the presence of two prominent clergymen as witnesses, and gave for publication this formal statement:

"General William Booth and Commander Ballington Booth met in the Windsor hotel in the presence of Dr. Josiah Strong and Dr. Chas. Cuthbert Hall on Sunday, January 16th.

"The interview was purely as between father and son.

"Nothing transpired calculated to lead to any union of the two movements.

"It was agreed that all public controversy in the press and otherwise between the two movements should, as far as possible, come to an end."

The meeting lasted for half an hour. According to the two witnesses the Booths met as father and son naturally would after a separation of two years. Nothing was said about any future meeting.

Bob Allen, manager of the Indianapolis base ball club, was in the city a short time today. He came to get a line on a number of Fort Wayne players, principally a catcher.

A GIGANTIC STRIKE.

Result of Wage Reductions in Cotton Mills.

Eighty Thousand Operatives Are Affected.

Promise of a Long and Bitter Struggle.

Textile Mills Throughout New England Are Involved---Strike Is Now in Full Blast.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 17.—The 80,000 or more skilled operatives employed in about seventy of the chief cotton mills of New England states will today come under the sweeping order of a new wage scale which entails a reduction of 10 per cent. or more.

This reduction will bring on in New Bedford, Mass., Lewiston and Biddeford, Me., labor strikes which may prove the beginning of an industrial battle greater in extent and more disastrous in effect than any in the previous history of cotton manufacturing in the United States.

The battle against the corporations undoubtedly would have been fought everywhere had not the voice of men and women who are ill prepared at this time of year to go into idleness been heeded by conservatives. As it is the great majority of persons employed in nine corporations in New Bedford and one corporation each in two Maine cities, will take upon themselves the task of forcible resistance to the reduction.

TEN THOUSAND IDLE.

In New Bedford the nine corporations represent twenty-two mills with over 770,000 spindles or 21,000 looms, giving means of livelihood to nearly ten thousand. The strikes will be directed by the labor unions, the lead being taken by the mule spinners' union, the national executive committee of which has sanctioned the strike of opposition and promised financial aid. The spinners and weavers are practically the only branches of textile operatives which have maintained organization. One striking feature of the preliminary agitation against the cut down and the strike talk was the plea of the national labor bodies interested that no strikes be begun except at New Bedford and Lowell, and asking that all strength be concentrated on the former place. Lowell operatives held in abeyance a decision to strike, pledging their support to the other city. The strikes in the other places mentioned have to be officially sanctioned by the governing labor body.

WILL RETURN TO CANADA.

There is one feature of the labor troubles and cut downs which may manifest itself, and that is the return to their Canadian homes of hundreds of families who speak French who flock to the states in winter to secure employment. Following is an estimate of the number of operatives affected by the cut-down, but the actual result will scarcely be seen until the new schedule of wages is tried: Knight, Goddards & Chase mills in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, 20,000; Lowell mills, 15,000; Lewiston, 5,000; Fall River, 4,000; Biddeford and Sayer, 4,000; other Maine mills, 4,000; Nashua, 3,000; New Hampshire and other than Manchester and Nashua, 3,000; Worcester county, 5,000; Holyoke, 10,000; Vermont, 10,000; miscellaneous, 6,000.

AT NEW BEDFORD.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 17.—A shut down, the most complete in the history of the cotton mills of New Bedford, began this morning. Not a spindle was turning nor a loom in motion in the factories of the cloth corporations an hour after the usual time of begining work. Between forty and fifty operatives went into the Bristol mill, and twenty-five or thirty into the Whitman, but aside from these no mill made any show of running, and these two soon shut down. Nine corporations operating eighteen mills, in which upwards of 9,000 hands are employed, are involved in the strike. The cut-down is uniform all over the city, 10 per cent. The total pay roll of these corporations is estimated at $70,000 weekly.

OUT AT BIDDEFORD AND SACO.

BIDDEFORD, Maine, Jan. 17.—Every department of the Pepperell and Laconia mills in this city, and all the departments of the York mills, in Saco, with the exception of the carding and mule spinning rooms, shut down today as a result of the decision of the operators to resist a 10 per cent reduction in wages, which was to go into effect today. At the York mills in Saco, the weavers remained out and were followed by the slashers and ring shinners. The cut at these mills is said to average 12 per cent. There are 1,500 operatives and 51,204 spindles. The management of the mills refuse to say what their policy will be regarding the action of the operatives.

ANDROSCOGGIN OPERATIVES OUT.

LEWISTON, Me., Jan. 17.—The operatives of all the mills here, except those of the Androscoggin, went to work as usual today under a reduction in wages of from 10 to 11 1-9 per cent. At the Androscoggin mill only seven out of 100 weavers went to work. The reduction went into effect at the mills of the Contonet and Androscoggin, Hill, Barber and Bates corporations, and and at the Lewiston Bleachery and Dye works. The total weekly pay roll of these companies has been $43,000, about 5,750 operatives are employed, and the number of spindles aggregate 279,000.

TROUBLE FEARED AT WOONSOCKET.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Jan. 17.—The 2,300 people employed in the Social, Globe and Nourse mills, of the Social Manufacturing company, and the Clinton mill, in this city, went to work at reduction of wages, averaging, it is stated at the offices of the mills, at about 10 per cent. Fears are felt that trouble may yet arise.

MINERS CONFER.

A Joint Convention of Operators and Employes Being Held.

Miners Demand Adoption of the "Gross Weight" System, Which Will Revolutionize the Wage Scale.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—A joint convention of coal miners and operators, representing the fields of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, was called to order by M. D. Ratchford, president of the United Mine workers at 10:30 today. Permanent organization was effected by the selection of W. H. Holcomb, of Chicago, and two secretaries, F. H. Brooks, of Ohio, and W. C. Pearce, of Chicago, the former representing the miners and the latter the operators. A committee on credentials was selected, consisting of one miner and one operator from each state. The selection of a committee on rules and regulations and order of business aroused considerable discussion, but was finally made up on the basis of one miner and two operators from each state, with equal voting powers. The convention then recessed until 2:30 o'clock, when the committees will report.

About 500 delegates are in attendance as a result of the recent Columbus convention of miners to adopt a scale of wages for 1898. That convention decided to meet the operators and discuss differences. The principal point at issue is the sweeping demand of the miners for the universal adoption of the "gross weight" system and the abandonment of "screens." Then the miners would be paid for "screenings" as well as lump coal. The change would revolutionize the wage scale and will be vigorously combatted by the operators. West Virginia operators have as yet been unrepresented in the convention.

QUIET AT HAVANA.

Advices From the Cuban Capital Develop Nothing Startling.

The Governor of Santa Clara Narrowly Escapes an Assassin's Bullet--Saved by General Aguirre.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The state department and Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister, both expressed the opinion today that the trouble at Havana has blown over. No advices under today's date had been received by either the department or the minister up to 11:30 o'clock today. Senor de Lome received two dispatches last night, the first saying that the day was passing quietly and the latter, apparently sent at a later hour, announcing that calm had prevailed during Sunday. The state department, after 9 o'clock, received a dispatch from Consul General Lee, saying simply, "All quiet." The lateness of the receipt of advices yesterday, the minister says, is due to the fact that the Havana cable office on Sundays does not open until 9 o'clock at night.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Senor De Lome, the Spanish minister, today received the following cablegram from the secretary general of Cuba:

"HAVANA, Jan. 17.—Yesterday during a game of ball at which was present the governor of Santa Clara, Maricos Garcia, a clerk of the hospital known as a drunkard, who had been discharged (his name is Picon), fired two shots at the governor which missed him, owing to having been diverted by General Aguirre, who was with the governor. The people made an ovation to both the governor and general.

"Eleven a. m., absolute tranquility. There is no fear it will be broken.

"(Signed) CONGOSTO."

OFFICE BUILDING BURNED.

Fire Causes a Heavy Loss This Morning at McKeesport.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 17.—The Yester block, a large office building on Fifth avenue, McKeesport, Pa., was totally destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock this morning. The block was erected two years ago, at a cost of $100,000. The first floor was occupied by Yester's jewelry store and the loss to the stock will reach $40,000. Bedell's gents' furnishing store will lose $10,000.

An early morning fire at Bridgeville, Pa., on the Panhandle railroad, about twelve miles south of here, destroyed six buildings and an immense lumber yard. The loss will probably reach $30,000.

The Woman's Reading club will meet with Miss Tracey Guild tomorrow afternoon. Miss Guild will present the subject.

SOLD IN MARRIAGE.

Arabian Peddler Said to Have Bought His Wife.

Alleged That Bride's Parents Received $1,000.

Telegram States That Marriage Took Place Here.

Peculiar Matrimonial Transaction in Which Joseph H. Marage and Miss Ivy Finney Figure.

The following dispatch from a Portland, Ind., correspondent, appears in the Chicago Chronicle:

"The neighborhood three miles east of Bryant is excited over the alleged selling of a girl in marriage.

"It appears that Joseph H. Marage, an Arabian peddler, has been making his headquarters for some time at the home of Joseph Finney. Finney has a young daughter, Ivy, whom, it is said, Marage was enamored of and wanted to make his wife. Just here, according to the stories being told, is where the strange part of the affair comes in. The parents of the girl are alleged to have hesitated until Marage offered a money consideration of $1,000, which is said to have been agreed to. Marage is credited with having paid $500 to Finney when the marriage license was issued, it being procured by Finney, and another $500 when the document was delivered to him.

"Mrs. Finney, Marage and Ivy Finney went to Fort Wayne, where the latter part of the transaction was consummated and the marriage ceremony performed, Mrs. Finney holding the license until the terms of the contract made were complied with.

"The story is current that the girl hesitated about being bound in such a compact, and it is alleged that Marage gave her $1,000 before the marriage ceremony was performed. Miss Finney was to have been married on New Year's day to Melvin Wheeler."

If the marriage ceremony detailed in the foregoing was performed in Fort Wayne no trace of the officiating authority can be found. None of the four justices of the peace solemnized the marriage and none of the ministers of the city, so far as THE SENTINEL has been able to ascertain, made Ivy Finney the bride of Joseph Marage.

MARRIAGE BY INJUNCTION.

Unusual Method Adopted to Prevent an Elopement.

KULM, S. D., Jan. 17.—Marriage by injunction is the latest feature of South Dakota jurisprudence. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pruisner, well-to-do Russians near here, recently arranged to marry their daughter Lena to Nicholas Bataglea, a neighboring farmer. But Miss Pruisner loved another—Alexander Hellin, a worthy youth, who but for his poverty would have been as desirable a suitor as Bataglea in the eyes of Lena's parents.

From a faithless friend of Hellin's the Pruisners learned that the former intended to elope with their daughter on the eve of the wedding day. The aid of a neighboring justice of the peace was invoked, an injunction secured against the elopement, a copy of the writ served on Hellin and an officer stationed on the Pruisners' premises to arrest him should he presume to set the law at defiance. As was anticipated, he came despite the injunction, and was duly taken into custody and locked up.

Before he could secure a bond Lena was married to the man she did not love. Public sympathy is on Hellin's side and the justice of the peace may find himself in trouble for interfering in an affair of the kind.

A HOT CONTEST.

Results of Saturday's Democratic Primaries in Wells County.

BLUFFTON, Jan. 17.—One of the most hotly contested democratic primaries in the history of Wells county occurred Saturday. Friends of thirty-eight candidates for the various offices have been in active canvass for the last four weeks. The weather was very disagreeable, but the total vote cast will reach 3,200. The following were nominated, which is equivalent to an election:

Representative—W. H. Eichhorn.
Clerk—Hugh D. Studebaker.
Auditor—W. A. Marsh.
Recorder—John Miller.
Treasurer—William H. Rupright.
Sheriff—William Higgins.
Surveyor—A. A. Batson.
Coroner—W. W. McBride.
Assessor—John French.
Commissioners—R. C. Reynolds and A. J. Hallich.

The race for treasurer was exciting, there being nine candidates, Rupright defeated Amos King by only thirty-three votes.

BITTERNESS IN OHIO.

Frank DeHaas Robison Has Some Views and a Warning.

(Indianapolis Journal.)

Frank DeHaas Robison, president of the Cleveland base ball club, who is at the Grand, besides being a base ball magnate is also a politician in Ohio. He was an anti-Hanna man in the great senatorial fight, and says that the bitterness growing out of that contest has not been allayed by the denunciation of Mayor McKisson's friends as traitors by the senator elect. He says that those who were opposed to Mr Hanna in the republican party are just as good republicans as can be found in the United States. "We were licked, and that should end it. The attempt to read the anti-Hanna men out of the party will, if continued, result disastrously."

FOREIGN NEWS.

France and Russia Protest Against Great Britain.

The Dreyfus Case Continues to Excite the Parisians--Terrible Colliery Disaster in Prussian Silesia.

PEKIN, Jan. 17.—The French and Russian ministers have protested against the conditions upon which (as outlined in an interview between Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister to China, and the Chinese foreign office on Saturday last) Great Britain is willing to assist China to liquidate the Japanese indemnity. Chang Yeng Wan has been appointed governor of Shan Tung.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—A semi-official note relative to the demand that the alleged confession of Alfred Dreyfus to M. Lebrun-Renaud should be published, says: "If the government conceded the demand it would bring under discussion and appear to place in doubt the authority of the Dreyfus decision. Moreover, the government does not consider it has the right to make such a communication, for reasons analogous to those which determined the court martial to try Dreyfus behind closed doors."

There was great excitement in the chamber of deputies today, when M. Cavaignac, republican, demanded a discussion of the semi-official note, issued today, in which the government declined to make public the alleged confession of Alfred Dreyfus to M. Lebrun-Renaud. The premier, M. Meline, in refusing to discuss the matter, declared that if the chamber voted its immediate discussion, the cabinet would resign. The house then by a vote of 310 to 252 adopted a motion shelving the discussion.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—A dispatch from Gleiwitz, Prussian Silesia, announces a terrific colliery disaster at Zaborze. The Koenigen Luiz colliery caught fire yesterday and of the fifteen men brought to the surface seven died. It is feared that twenty-five others, whose escape was cut off, have perished.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A special dispatch from Rome says there was a severe earthquake shock today at Argenta, eighteen miles southeast of Ferrara. A church and several buildings were wrecked and several persons were injured.

PRESIDENT DOLE.

Hawaii's Chief Executive Lands Upon America's Shores.

His Arrival Not Attended by Any Demonstration--Will Proceed at Once to Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—When President Dole, of Hawaii, landed from the steamship Peru this morning, he was not received with the ceremony befitting the ruler of a foreign country. The Peru arrived shortly after 8 o'clock last night and the quarantine regulations were not waived in favor of the visiting president, so he remained on board all night. When the steamer docked this morning President Dole was greeted by the Hawaiian consul and a few friends, but there was no representative of the United States government to formally welcome him. The customs officials passed the baggage of himself and family without inspection and that was all. Owing to the fact that the steamer came in after dark last night no salute was fired by any of the forts around the bay. That a different reception was anticipated is evident by the following letter from the Associated Press correspondent at Honolulu.

"HONOLULU, Jan. 9.—President Dole and his party will leave for Washington this evening by the steamship Peru. Mrs. Dole will accompany the party as far as San Francisco and will remain in that city until the return of the president. President Dole will remain two days in San Francisco, communicating with the Hawaiian legation at Washington; in the meantime, if the Hawaiian annexation question has not been settled by congress, the presidential party will proceed to the capital at once; if on the other hand the treaty has been passed or action on the same deferred indefinately then it is more than probable that President Dole will not journey to Washington, but instead will take the first boat to Honolulu."

A. O. U. W. EVENT.

Progressive Pedro and Social at the Hall of No. 36 Tonight.

The third of the series of entertainments given at the hall of A. O. U. W. lodge No. 36, under the auspices and for the benefit of the First A. O. U. W. band will take place this evening. There will be progressive pedro and a general social time, at which everybody will be made to enjoy the occasion. These social events are proving quite popular and the attendance grows larger with each recurrence of the entertainment.

Don't forget the sale at Reuben S. Patterson's.

POLICY AGAIN.

Mayor Scherer Thinks It Is Being Played.

In Bold Defiance to His Recent Orders.

Police Ordered to Make Investigations.

Frank Irey's Case Settled This Morning By the Payment of a Fine--Notes in Police Circles.

This morning Frank Irey's fine for being in the business of operating policy was paid over to Mayor Scherer. The fine and costs amounted to $68.50. When the decision was made against Irey by a jury no appeal was made, as in former cases, but a stay was asked for and granted. The time of stay was ninety days, but this has not expired. A SENTINEL reporter this morning asked Mayor Scherer if he thought that policy was still being played in the city, to which he replied:

"I have heard that policy is being quietly played, and I have notified Superintendent Gorsline to make an investigation. If he finds that the game is still on he will make more arrests. Policy must be stopped."

POLICE NOTES.

For two nights no report of any kind has gone on the police records. It is very dull.

This morning Bud Arnold, Harry VanAlstine and "Dutch" Irwin, who are at the jail under bonds for petit larceny, were brought over to the rogues' gallery at the city hall and photographed by Miner. Their pictures will go in the superintendent's collection.

Emil Smith, clerk at the police station, was granted a leave of absence today so that he can complete an extensive addition to his poultry houses, of which he has several. Mr. Smith has built a number of additions lately, and if he keeps on it is only a matter of time when he will have the greatest system of chicken coops to be found in the country.

UNION MEETINGS.

Several Organizations to Meet Tonight.

A Union of Painters to Be Formed--Fruits of the Labor Revival Begin to Appear.

The work inaugurated by the Trades and Labor council two weeks ago looking to a revival of trade union sentiment in the city is bearing fruit. Two new organizations are already planted—the laundry workers and plasterers. The painters will be organized tonight. Many new members have been gathered into the carpenters, the machinists and the Working Women's Federal Labor union.

A good representation of horseshoers was present at the meeting yesterday afternoon at A. O. U. W. hall. G. R. Hench and D. F. Kennedy delivered short addresses, which were highly appreciated by this new union.

The Trades council desires the presence of every painter, both employers and journeymen, at the meeting tonight at A. O. U. W. hall, corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, at 7:30. D. F. Kennedy and others will be be present. All laundry workers in the city are invited to be at the meeting tonight, as it is desired to to make the charter membership as large as possible. This meeting will be in one of the small rooms at A. O. U. W. hall at 7:30. An effort is being made to unionize the Rothschilds' overall factory.

WILL BUILD.

Baptists Want a North Side Mission Property.

Committee Will Meet Tonight to Consider the Purchase of a Lot--Work to Be Done Next Summer.

The North Side Baptist Mission has met with such encouraging success that it has been thought advisable to purchase a lot and erect a new mission building next summer. With this end in view a committee will meet with the trustees of the First Baptist church tonight to present a plan for the acquirement of property and the erection of a building.

Ever since the mission was founded services have been held in a building on St. Mary's avenue. The congregation is outgrowing the accommodations, hence the action toward building.

ASHBY DROWNED.

A Capsized Boat Throws Him Into the Water.

Was Appointed United States Consul at Colon Only a Few Months Ago--German Consul Also Drowned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Consul General Gugileon at Panama cabled the state department today announcing the drowning of William W. Ashby, United States consul at Colon. No details were given. Ashby was appointed to office only a few months ago, and has been well known in this city and Virginia as a newspaper man connected with Norfolk, Va., newspapers. A press dispatch stated that three others were drowned with him, but the state department's cable contains no reference to the other persons in the boat with him.

COLON, Colombia, via Galveston, Jan. 17.—A boating party, consisting of the United States consul, W. W. Ashby; Dr. Hafemann, the German consul; Master Mechanic Mott, and four others, are supposed to have been drowned. The body of the boatman has already been recovered.

FROM A LADDER.

John Dupoy Falls a Distance of Twenty-five Feet.

His Skull Fractured and His Death Will Most Likely Follow--Sad Accident at Coesse.

S. Hiler, of Coesse, Ind., was in the city today and brought the news of a frightful accident that befell John Dupoy, a well to do farmer of that section, who will likely die as a result of the misfortune. Mr. Dupoy was on a ladder, repairing the roof of the barn, when he lost his balance and fell backward to the ground. His head struck the earth and the skull was fractured. The man has been unconscious for forty-eight hours and no hopes are held out for his recovery. Mr. Dupoy has a large family.

THE COURTS.

The last will and testament of the late William F. Francies has been filed for probate. His personal property and real estate is devised to his wife and children. The wife is named as executrix.

Christian Schneider has qualified as administrator of the estate of Christian Schneider, sr., lately deceased.

In the superior court Joseph H. Moore has been given judgment for $69.90 against Henry W. Soest.

Milton P. Fort, a special officer from Plainfield, came to Fort Wayne today and returned with Edward Bailey to the reformatory for boys. Young Bailey had violated the terms of his parole.

The county commissioners were considering applications for liquor license today. But two were presented to the board.

In the circuit court Judge O'Rourke listened to claims presented against the Fort Wayne Consolidated Street railroad.

A superior court jury awarded Daniel Gorman a verdict against Sarah Jane Klutter in replevin proceedings and gave him $5 damages.

In the superior court the Keeley Brewing company was given judgment for $270.77 against John Wilkinson, et al., on notes.

LICENSED TO WED.

Frederick H. Winkler and Josephine Gerber.

Elsworth Snider and Alice A. Whitney.

Jerome J. Studor and Elizabeth Kelley.

Leonard C. Lebneke and Anna Beckes.

Walter S. Burkholder and Flora Wiggins.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Annie Eugene Habecker Succumbs to Congestion of the Lungs--Week's Deaths.

Annie Eugenia, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Habecker, of 127 Harrison street, died Sunday morning of congestion of the lungs, after long suffering. Her age was six years. The remains were removed to the residence of Elias Habecker, 61 Brackenridge street, from which place the funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

THE WEEK'S DEAD.

The undertakers have reported the following deaths for the week ending Saturday, January 15:

Henry Antrup, 6 years old, typhoid fever.

Edward Leach, 76 years old, general debility.

V. R. Hutchinson, 73 years old, erysipelas.

Louise Hattendorf, 19 years old, typhoid fever.

Carl Keller, 3 years old, accident.

Kate Jacoby, 68 years old, pneumonia.

John Carroll, 36 years old, consumption.

John Dondero, 6 years old, measles.

Rosa Bobay, 21 years old, consumption.

Ralph Gephardt, 3 years old, measles.

George W. Veim, 37 years old, consumption.

David S. Griffith, 49 years old, typhoid fever.

SPECIALS
For Tomorrow.
300 ladies' outing flannel night gowns, to close out, 35c; worth double.
250 gent's outing flannel gowns, to close, 41c, worth 75c.
Ladies' all wool flannel shirt waists, the latest styles and all shades, for 50c. This is much less than you can buy the material.
350 pair of ladies' muslin drawers for tomorrow, 17c a pair.
300 ladies' muslin corset covers, 9c.
WOLF & DESSAUER.
70 and 72 Calhoun St.

Mrs Throckmorton, the wife of A Throckmorton, of South Lafayette street, is sick and unable to leave the house.

A Perfect Infant Food

Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk

A Perfect Substitute for Mothers Milk. For 40 Years the Leading Brand.

"Infant Health" Sent Free. N. Y. Condensed Milk Co., New York.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

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TONIGHT.

Union Veteran Legion—Regular meeting.

Ladies of the G. A. R.—G. W. Stirk circle.

Baptist Guards—Regular drill.

True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social hop.

Cigarmakers' Union — Regular meeting.

Lodges—Phoenix No. 101, K. of P.; Fort Wayne No. 11, I. O. O. F.; Ben Hur court No. 15; Ben Hur court No. 96.

A. O. U. W. Hall—Social and pedro party by the First A. O. U. W. band.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:

Monday — Louis Morrison in "Faust."

Tuesday—"Human Hearts."

Wednesday — "The American Girl."

Friday—"A Scrap of Paper."

MARK HANNA is not a very heroic hero, but he seems to answer his own purposes quite well.

GRADUALLY Tammany and Croker, who virtually is Tammany, are disclosing their purpose to control the democratic politics of the nation. It will not work in the west.

THE time seems not far distant when Spain will find the insurrection of the Cubans among the least of her troubles. That another uprising of the Carlists is being fomented is hardly to be doubted from the evidences at hand.

AN exchange in discussing the tramp question declares that if the tramp is to be eliminated from our society he must be paid to work. His suggestion is practical enough in the abstract, but it will not be found to work any better than the tramp will. One of the fatal incidents of the tramp question is the number of well-dressed vagrants from whom the common hobo gets his inspiration and his vindication.

AT least some good has come out of the meeting of Gen. William Booth, founder and head of the Salvation Army and his estranged son, Gen. Ballington Booth, organizer and commander-in-chief of the Volunteers of America. Father and son have not been able to bridge the chasm that divides them, but they have agreed to do no more fighting in the newspapers—that is to say, no more than cannot be avoided.

IN court in Brooklyn the other day the plaintiff's lawyer in a suit for damages called the defendant's counselor, much to the latter's surprise, as a witness. But when the lawyer-witness, after his direct testimony, insisted upon cross-examining himself, it was the plaintiff's attorney who was surprised and who ineffectually protested. This turning of tables was clever, and pleased everybody but the other side. The public significance lies in the hope that when lawyers begin to cross-examine themselves they will learn to treat other witnesses more gently.

CHICAGO statisticians are endeavoring to figure out the meaning of the decided falling off which has occurred during the last two years in the number of marriage licenses granted. By many this decrease is taken to mean that marriage is growing unpopular, but the returns from other sections of the country do not bear out this conclusion. Possibly there have been fewer marriages because the Chicago courts are growing less accommodating in the granting of divorces. When it is generally understood that the marriage tie is permanent and not temporary the clerk of the marriage license bureau will have more spare time on his hands.

THE friends of Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, are much gratified by the great favor with which that gentleman's candidacy for the democratic nomination for state treasurer is being received all over Indiana. Mr. Dougherty is a banker but he was early in the fight for Bryan and free silver in 1896, and he rendered splendid service for his party. The value of his labors were shown when his county Wells gave an increased democratic majority in the last election. Mr. Dougherty presents strong claims to the consideration of the democratic party. He unites eminent fitness, high character and a record of valiant party service. He will be a strong rival who can outweigh him in any of these essential equipments of the candidate.

ALL the opposition to the currency "reform" plan proposed by the monetary commission does not come from "popocrats," "anarchists," "silverites," "Bryanites" and the foes generally of a sound gold currency." As much opposition as the friends of the scheme can well take care of is developing in the ranks of the republican party. Hon. Frank W. Willis, editor of the Waterloo Press, and one of the republican leaders of northern Indiana, declares himself in unmistakable terms against the new banking scheme. He says: "The greatest objection to the old state bank currency was its tendency to become worthless in the hands of innocent holders. The same objection holds good, in a measure, against the recommendation of the Indianapolis monetary commission that the requirement of the government that bonds shall be deposited to secure national bank notes shall gradually be abolished, and the banks allowed to issue notes that shall be a first lien upon all their resources. If all men were honest and infallible in judgment, it might be advisable to make such a change, but proof that they are neither one nor the other is piling up every day. It would be foolish to abandon an absolutely safe method, one by which it is impossible for any national bank note holder to lose a dollar, for one that is far from safe."

Have You Been Thar?

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CLOTHING SALE!

34 and 36 Calhoun Street.

TO THE DOCTORS.

Rev. J. S. Ainslie Preaches a Strong Sermon.

Gave Reasons Why Physicians Should be Christians—Many of the Medical Profession Present.

Last night Plymouth Congregational church was crowded, a large number of the physicians of the city, with their wives, being present to hear the sermon by Rev. J. Stuart Ainslie to the doctors, entitled, "The Struggle for Christian Character in a Physician's Life." He chose his text from II. Chron., xvi., 12:13, and after brief explanation, proceeded to welcome the doctors to the service. "Brethren of the medical profession, we often meet in the house of distress. The work of the doctor touches closely on the pastoral work of the minister, although it is not generally recognized. We join each other in an attempt at solace where the paroxysm of grief demands a medicine as well as a prayer. We are not strangers, but friends, often looking into each other's faces through the dusk as the night of death is falling in the sick room. But we meet tonight, not in the home of distress, but in the pleasant apartments of the house of God, and I want to preach a sermon of inspiration, helpfulness and good cheer.

"In our text King Asa is criticised because in his sickness he sought not the Lord. And what was wrong in Asa is wrong in every other man. You have no right to shut God out from the realm of pharmacy and therapeutics. 'In all thy ways acknowledge him and he shall direct thy paths.'"

Then the speaker traced briefly the honorable history of surgery and medicine, from Hippocrates, the Greek, down to Jenner, who fought successfully the plague of small pox, and to the discoveries of Simpson and Pasteur, and Sir Joseph Lister and Koch. The speaker showed how the medical profession had led in suggesting better methods of caring for the insane, in improving health and human longevity.

The second division of the sermon outlined some of the temptations that beset the physician's calling. From careful information which he had gleamed from honorable men of the profession, he showed how a young doctor may be offered large fees for performing some criminal operation: how there is a temptation to secure a patient at any cost, and how sometimes the charges for medical service seems to the laymen too high.

"But after all has been said," continued the preacher, "I gladly pay my tribute to the heroism and patience and efficiency of the average doctor in the community. There are few equals to the practitioner who sacrifices so much for the relief of suffering humanity, who goes at the calls of what he knows will be unpaid labor, and who does his best for rich and poor alike.

The last division of the sermon gave several reasons why all physicians should be Christians, men of reverence, men of consecration and men of prayer. The sermon sparkled with humorous and graphic illustrations, and for forty minutes held the closest attention of the large audience.

The selection by the new quartet and the solos by Mrs. Plummer were excellent and appreciated by all.

Next Sunday evening the three lodges of the A. O. U. W. in the city are to attend services at Plymouth church, a part of which will be of a memorial character.

The Hibernian Rifles were photographed yesterday afternoon.

TICKET FORGERY.

Missouri Crooks Engage in a Big Business.

Their Peculations Cover a Period of Many Years and Involve Many Hundreds of Dollars.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 17.—A long series of railroad ticket forgeries has come to light here which is believed to have been carried on a number of years. The alleged forged tickets were over the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road and connecting line. A warrant has been issued here for the arrest of August E. Ambs, of St. Louis, who until two years ago was engaged in the ticket scalping business in this city. The fraudulent tickets were sold during the time of Walter Young as city ticket agent of the Santa Fe in this city. Young committed suicide nearly four years ago and left nothing to explain the deed. It is thought he may have known something about the forged tickets. After Ambs became financially embarrassed he deposited the tickets in the National bank of St. Joseph. He was unable to redeem them and they were placed on sale by another broker. The sale of the tickets was very slow and that is the reason that the fraud has been so long in being discovered. The value of the mileage represented by the tickets runs up into the thousands, although it is not known how many of them were disposed of. Ambs has been arrested.

AT THE HOTELS.

Partial List of Guests at the Different City Hotels.

James McCormick, Bluffton; G. V. Kell, Huntington; M. Clinton and wife, South Whitley; C. B. Mathers, Lafayette; D. N. Chamberlain, Sioux Falls; J. B. Drago, Toledo; N. N. Latimer, Mentone; M. C. Coulter, Bucyrus; T. M. Palmer, Battle Creek; A. A. Moorhaus, C. A. Doering, Cincinnati; J. F. Byers, Philadelphia; J. S. Wilkins, St. Louis; J. J. Schneider, Sheboygan; L. A. Snyder, Springfield.

Wayne—W. B. Morris, Philadelphia; C. B. Crumdall, C. C. McDowell; Chicago; M. Slusser, H. Y. Coffey, New York; P. Van Bieler and wife, Huntington; H. C. Richie, Louisville; George W. Emery, Pittsburg; Wm S. Davis, Boston; C. H. Day, Cleveland; Joe Dillenbery, Baltimore.

New Avelin — J. F. Marvin, Newark, Ohio; M. E. Kiplinger, Canton, Ohio; J. P. Shaffer, W. E. Salisbury, Toledo; W. F. Garrettson, Detroit; J. H. Schug, Richmond; C. H. Carpenter, St. Louis; James Mills, Cincinnati; A. A. Taylor and wife, Chicago; A. Glass, Columbus, Ohio.

Rich—J. G. Ray, Warren, Ind.; Wm Wiley, W. B. Bennett, Grand Rapids; J. W. Biddle, Dr. Martin, Toledo; H. A. Hathaway, W. W. Williams, C. H. Morgan, Chicago; J. A. Morrell, Lagrange; Monroe Doctor, Muncie, Ind.; W. H. Strayer, North Manchester.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Fulton county claims the poet, Joaquin Miller, as a former citizen.

The W. C. T. U. of Wabash will make an effort to have the city council pass a curfew ordinance.

Amos Sines, one of the pioneer citizens of Whitley county, is dead, at the age of seventy-nine years.

Walter Loveday, aged five, was shot in the face with a toy air-gun in the hands of Leon Leslie, aged nine, at Warsaw Saturday.

Bluffton citizens are agitating the question of a new opera house and there is hope that capitalists may be interested in the project.

Up to date $670 has been subscribed for drilling an oil well in Ossian. The Fort Wayne Gas company has taken $100 worth of stock.

The experimental oil well at Huntington was completed by drilling into salt water. There is much disappointment among the stockholders.

Dr. A. C. Mendenhall, who was arrested in Kosciusko county a few weeks since while calling upon a young lady, has been convicted of bigamy at Jackson, Mich.

The sportsmen of Huntington county will hold a meeting at Huntington on the 19th inst., to discuss the feasibility of stocking farms in that county with the Chinese pheasant.

The Sutherlin murder trial will begin at Plymouth next week. This will be the second trial of Sutherlin for the murder of Ed Fetters. He was given a life sentence, but the supreme court set the verdict aside.

Samuel Evans, a Decatur young man who spent an inheritance of $10,000 in thirty days, then forged a note for $100 on his guardian, D. D. Studebaker, for which he was sent to the pen, has been paroled by the governor. His health is broken.

Jonathan Montgomery, died at Rochester, Saturday, at the age of ninety-seven. He had been a resident of Fulton county since 1860. He was a forty-niner in the California gold excitement and became wealthy. He attributed his long life to temperate habits.

Joseph Cruk and Jesse Mason, brothers-in-law, and influential men living near Montpelier, came to blows over money matters. Cruk assaulted Mason, breaking one rib, cutting a severe gash over his right eye and probably inflicting internal injuries. Cruk could not be found by the police.

A party of seven Albion men will leave in a few days for the Klondike gold fields. Friday they sent to Seattle a car load of supplies and the party will start in time to reach the seaport by the time their freight car arrives. The supplies include everything needed for an eighteen months' sojourn in Alaska excepting flour, and were purchased through an Albion merchant. The

AN OPEN LETTER

From Miss Sachner, of Columbus, O., to Ailing Women.

To all women who are ill:—It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit I have derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I can hardly find words to express my gratitude for the boon given to suffering women in that excellent remedy. Before taking the Compound I was thin, sallow and nervous. I was troubled with leucorrhœa, and my menstrual periods were very irregular. I tried three physicians and gradually grew worse. About a year ago I was advised by a friend to try Mrs. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and Vegetable Compound, which I did. After using three bottles of the Vegetable Compound and one package of Sanative Wash, I am now enjoying better health than I ever did, and attribute the same to your wonderful remedies. I cannot find words to express what a Godsend they have been to me.

Whenever I begin to feel nervous and ill, I know I have a never failing physician at hand. It would afford me pleasure to know that my words had directed some suffering sister to health and strength through those most excellent remedies.—MISS MAY SACHNER, 348½ E. Rich St., Columbus, O.

members of the party are Homer Riddle, Daniel Winebrenner, John Hoffman, Gustave Hann, Curt Simon, John Yeager and Fred Kimble.

Johnson Brownlee, one of the oldest and best-known citizens of Plymouth, died suddenly Saturday morning while seated in a chair at his home. He was one of the early recorders of Marshall county and bore the distinction of being the oldest Masonic secretary in the United States. For years he had been acting as tax collector. He was seventy-eight years old.

ON ANNEXATION.

The Addition of South Wayne Territory Considered.

Councilmen and Board of Works Will go Over the Ground—The District Under Consideration.

There has been some talk of annexing to the city the district between Hoagland avenue and Hanna street, in order that the property owners in that locality will come in for a share of the expense attached to building the South Wayne sewer. This morning Mr. Eggeman, of the board of works, said that Councilmen Glenn and McMahon were contemplating a trip over the ground and that members of the board will accompany them. The territory under consideration is extensive and when the new sewer is built will have drainage into it. Under the circumstances it appears proper that the people owning property there be assessed with others. The matter will come up before the council in the near future.

TIPPECANOE MINSTRELS.

Great Show at the Temple on January 28th—Members of the Company.

On the evening of the 28th inst., the flag on the city building will be placed at half-mast, the bells will toll their solemn chimes and the police force will be increased to see that everybody feels sorry. The Tippecanoe club on that evening will give a minstrel performance at the Masonic Temple. When the expected large audience is seated the doors will be locked and there will be no escape from the scene of the struggle which, which for two hours and a half will be carried on by the actors. Jennison & William's orchestra is rehearsing several several dirges for the occasion which will be played after some of the heaviest jokes are exploded. Those who will take part in the olio are as follows:

End Men, Bones—Art Dougall, W. W. Bogart, Otto Hild, George Kiel.

Tambos—F. E. Coley, Amos Richey, C. P. Planck, John W. Anderson.

Interlocutor—L. A. Worch.

Double Quartet—Clint Wilson, Tom Snook, Victor Russell, Ferd Urbahns, Arch Bradley, Walter Gerberding, Corneilus Smith, Will McKay.

Chorus of twenty-five. Director, Prof. R. Thomas.

Orchestra—Jennison & Williams.

Stage Manager—E. C. Buck.

There will be a number of specialty sketches, athletic features and other squibs of entertainment before the appearance of the Dougall brothers, in a sketch entitled "In Gay Fort Wayne." The performance will conclude with a thrilling drama, entitled "A Morning at the City Hall." The cast of characters will be as follows:

Written especially [illegible] the performance.

ROLE OF CHARACTERS.

Scene: Police Court, [illegible] Day at 9:30 [illegible]

Mayor Sissors	W. W. McKay
Prosecuting Attorney [illegible]	John Dougall
Lieut. Snapp	F. A. Anderson
Supt. Clothes-Line	A. Richey
Officer Scotty	Otto Meyers
Officer Spillmore	Frank Cutshall
Officer Romeo	Clint Wilson
Officer Shivering	Elmer Hulse
Officer Dull	Bradley
Janitor De Yell	Otto Hild
Klondike Charley [illegible]	W. W. Bogart
Ludwig Von Winkle Stein Hosen Blaser, a Wandering Minstrel	W. Kaiser
Arson Doolittle, an Anarchist	Art Dougall
Hezekiah, a Whistling Coon	F. E. Coley
Jeremiah, a Chicken Thief	
Brother Johnsing, an Elder Chicken Thief	L. A. Worch

Patrol horses, officers and detectives, handcuffs, hangers on etc., etc.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Subscribe for THE SENTINEL.

DID NOT ASK FULL PARDON.

Former President Cleveland on His Petition for W. D. Worden.

PRINCETON, N. J., 17.—Former President Cleveland says regarding his letter to Governor Budd, of California, in which he asked executive clemency for Walter D. Worden, sentenced to hang for train wrecking:

"There is little to say about the Worden case. I knew the history of the case very well, knew what the man was and the position and standing of his family. I think the man should be punished for his crime, but not by hanging. I did not ask the governor of California for a complete pardon for Worden, but only for a commutation of his sentence.

"I think a life sentence in the penitentiary would suffice for his crime. That is about all. I might tell the whole matter connected with the case but that would be of little good. I have not received a reply as yet from Governor Budd."

WARNED AGAINST NORDHAM

Fight Against the New Commander-in-Chief of the Catholic Knights.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 17.—Indiana uniform rank, Knights of America commanderies, today received official instructions from Commander-in Chief Kadeski in which he warns the officers against recognizing J. W. Nordham, of Vincennes, as commander-in-chief, holding that the gathering in Mobile last week, at which Nordham was elected, was irregular and illegal and that forgery was used in the proceedings.

The matter will be taken into the courts or the pope will be asked to interfere. The order now numbers nearly 20,000 members, and is the recognized military body of the Catholic church in America. It is likely that the fight will split the organization.

TO TAX LIFE INSURANCE.

Governor Mount Wants to Assess Policies Having a Surrender Value.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 17.—Governor Mount, upon whose suggestion the board of tax commissioners acted when it directed that township assessors list life insurance policies, says he will give the subject prominence in his message to the legislature and will ask that the law be amended so as to state specifically that policies shall be taxed.

The governor says as a rule men do not carry life insurance with the view of providing against poverty; they carry it as an investment.

Under the decision of the majority of the supreme court a life insurance policy that has a cash surrender value is "property," and the governor says there is no valid reason why it should not be taxed.

NO MAILS SINCE AUGUST.

People at Dawson City Think Their Governments Have Forgotten Them.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—Dawson City has received no regular mails since last August. Both American and Canadian miners there believe their respective governments have forgotten them so far as mail facilities are concerned. Many of the miners have paid $1 per letter at Dawson to have mail brought out to relatives and friends. Generally this has been carried through to the sound cities, though one or two parties report some of this mail was discarded by the carriers and is to be found scattered along the upper Yukon and lakes.

WITNESSES GONE.

Case Against Indiana White Caps May Fail for Lack of Them.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 17.—The trial of the nine men indicted for white capping, set for today, promises to be one of the most sensational in the history of southern Indiana. A report is just received that the white caps have induced Milton Southers and his family to leave the state, as they cannot be found. They were the victims of the outrage, and if the report is true the cases will probably have to be dismissed for lack of evidence.

SENT TO COLUMBUS.

Remains of Albert C. Greenleaf, Who Suicided in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The remains of Albert C. Greenleaf, who jumped from the sixteenth floor of the Masonic temple Saturday have been sent to Columbus, Ohio, for burial. H. C. Bancroft, of the firm of Bancroft and Sheldon, dry goods merchants at Columbus, who was a brother-in-law of Greenleaf, accompanied the remains to Ohio.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17.—Pensions have been granted to the following Indianians:

Original—Milton H. Snyder, National Military Home, Grant; Chas. J. Many, Indianapolis; Benjamin F. Burges, Clinton.

Additional—David M. Dove, Irvington.

Mexican War Widows—Catherine Huckemeier, Richmond.

Reissue—James M. Watkins, New Albany; William J. Byers, Shoal.

Original Widows, Etc.—Margaret Black, Selma; minor of Dallas Lawson, Lapel; minor of Charles W. Holmes, Farmersville; minor of Joseph Wisemiller, Indianapolis; minor of Andrew J. Wells, sr., Muncie; Mary F. Harris, Jeffersonville.

It Will Surprise You.

In order to prove the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most effective cure for Catarrh and Cold in Head, your druggist will supply a generous 10 cent trial size or we will mail for 10 cents. Full size 50 cts. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio

Father of Miss Cisneros Arrives.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Among the passengers who arrived today on board the Ward line steamer Saratoga from Havana was Augustin Cossio, the father of Angelina Cossio y Cisneros. Cossio was released by General Blanco on Sunday, January 9.

BOY MURDERER'S VICTIMS.

Fifteen Year-Old Child Kills One Playmate, While Second Escapes.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 17.—The body of the five year-old Percy Lockyar, who is believed to have been murdered on Friday night last by fifteen-year old Samuel Henderson, was found in the bottom of "Reddie" creek.

The body was weighted by two heavy stones, one about his neck and the other around his ankles. His skull was crushed in and there was a knife thrust just above the heart, and similar wounds on his breast, side and forehead, while on one side of his face was a long cut extending from below the eye to the chin.

Henderson, who is under arrest, does not seem to realize the enormity of his crime. He admitted a knowledge of the knife thrust, but said it was due to the child accidentally running against an open knife. Henderson became alarmed at this and said he threw the boy into the creek.

When shown the mutilated body of the child, he admitted that he was responsible for the cuts, but he still persisted that it was an accident.

The police assert that Henderson accompanied Lockyar and Willie Addison, aged seven years, to the woods, as he told yesterday, but instead of any accident happening to either Henderson tied both children to a tree. Addison broke away and ran home. It was then, it is said, that young Lockyer's death was accomplished.

DORA CLAY GOES HOME.

Receives an Affectionate Welcome From Her Aged Husband.

VALLEY VIEW, Ky., Jan. 17.—Dora Richardson Clay, bespattered with mud, her hair disheveled and scarcely able to stand, arrived at Whitehall at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She was met at the yard gate by Jim Littrell, who let her in.

Littrell says the old man held his wife in close embrace for several minutes and then led her into the house. He thinks General Clay will not allow Dora to leave Whitehall again, and intimated that the general would re-enforce the guard with four or five nervy men who could be depended upon to shoot any intruder.

Littrell says the general will prosecute Clell Richardson to the full extent of the law for shooting at Dora.

EARLY MORNING FIRE.

Several Large Firms in Chicago Sustain Heavy Losses.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Eight firms, with stocks aggregating half a million dollars sustained heavy losses by fire that broke out at 6:30 o'clock this morning in the building at the northwest corner of Market and Quincy streets. They are: L. C. Wachsmuth & Co., clothing, loss mostly by water; Adams Bros., dry goods, loss complete; Taylor & Parrette, wholesale dealers in hats, loss by water; Worcester Corset Co., loss complete; Fred Kauffman & Co., tailors, loss complete; Skinner Bros., dealers in woolen goods, loss complete; Nickerson & Co., dry goods, loss complete; Cleutt, Coon & Co., collars and cuffs, damage by fire and water.

ILLUSION DISPELLED.

The Great Fair Estate Dwindles from $40,000,000 to $12,000,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The Chronicle says:

A popular illusion will be rudely dispelled today when the appraisement and inventory of the estate of the late Senator James G. Fair are filed with the superior court. Instead of $40,000,000 at which it has been estimated, its value will be shown by itemized figures to be $12,228,998.67. The figures are the result of eleven months of examination and research on the part of the appraisers, R. V. Dey, G. L. Bresse and A. E. Leigh, all men acquainted with realty values and more or less familiar with the many enterprises in which Fair was engaged at the time of his demise.

CRAZY OVER RELIGION.

Indiana Farmer Imagines Himself a Devil and Seeks to Murder.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Jan. 17.—Nathan B. Davis, a farmer near this city, has gone raving mad over religion and imagines he is the devil. He is of a large, muscular build, and it is almost impossible to keep him from killing himself and everybody he sees.

Last night he broke his bindings and severely injured two of the seven attendants before he was subdued.

Davis attended a revival meeting at the Sandcreek Quaker church which lasted all day and all night constantly for a week.

MAY GET WELL.

Mrs. Lucille Lane, Who Shot Herself in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Lucille Lane, daughter of Ex-Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky, who shot herself late Saturday night passed a very comfortable night and seemed to be improving this morning. No operation has been performed as yet to locate the bullet and ascertain the course it took. There is yet some doubt whether the shooting was accidental or an attempt to commit suicide.

Wants Another Go With Walcott.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—George Green, the pugilist, is out with a challenge for another match with Joe Walcott, at catch weights and the largest purse offered. He stipulates that the winner of the match shall challenge McCoy for the middle weight championship.

Mothers, be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. May8eod&w

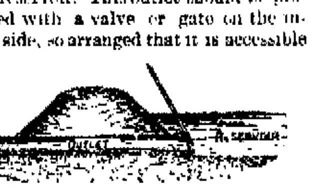
FARM AND GARDEN

IRRIGATION RESERVOIRS.

The Outlet and Its Valve or Gate—A Simple but Efficient Gate.

Where storm waters are employed the construction of the reservoir if of considerable size should be under the supervision of an engineer. In his paper on irrigation of the great plains Fred H. Newell gives valuable suggestions concerning the construction of reservoirs, including the following concerning the outlet. He says:

In building the walls one of the first things to consider is the outlet. This should be placed in such a position that the water will be delivered conveniently to the ditches, and its position should be so low that it will completely empty the reservoir. This outlet should be provided with a valve or gate on the inner side, so arranged that it is accessible



SECTION OF RESERVOIR BANK.

at all times. It is usual to construct this outlet of boards or plank in the form of a long box from 8 to 18 inches in width and height. For permanence it might be better to use a metal pipe, but it is probable that the wooden outlet will serve for a sufficient number of years.

Having placed the outlet box or pipe in proper position, great care must be taken in building the wall at this particular place to secure a tight joint. Clay should be carefully tamped around and under the box, and as an additional precaution it is well to provide the box with wings or ribs projecting outward into the earth bank and preventing the percolation of water along the contact plane between earth and the wood or metal. The gate on the inside end of the outlet may be of any one of a great variety of forms, from a simple board placed securely against the end to the expensive metal valve used for city purposes.

One of the simplest and most efficient gates in use consists of a broad plank covering the end of the box, which is cut off in such a position as to slope diagonally upward and toward the bank. The place of contact between the end of the box and plank covering it is lined with leather or some similar substance, insuring a tight joint. The plank covering is hinged on the upper side and is extended diagonally upward by a stout bar. When this is grasped and pulled toward the bank, the valve is opened against the pressure of the water, and when the bar is released it is automatically closed. In the cut here presented is illustrated a section of reservoir bank showing the outlet.

A Big Corn Crop.

This is how I raised 150 bushels of corn to the acre: In April I put ten loads of stable manure per acre on ten acres of clover and timothy sod mixed. The last week of April I broke this ground, plowing eight inches deep. I rolled it down after the plow and then worked it once with the rotary hoe instead of disk harrow. I then harrowed twice with ordinary smoothing harrow and rolled down. I planted May 11 and 12, checking 3 feet 8 inches each way. No commercial fertilizer of any kind was used on this corn. As soon as this corn came up I cultivated once each way with the rotary hoe. I then cultivated once each way with cultivator with large shovels on, plowing shallow and keeping ground as level as possible. The ground was ordinary white oak soil and had been in grass for four years, being mowed for hay each year. The variety was the Mastodon, a large eared yellow dent, ripening in 105 to 110 days. It was planted three stalks to the hill. The entire field of ten acres will make 150 bushels to the acre.—Cor. Farmers' Review.

Marketing Honey.

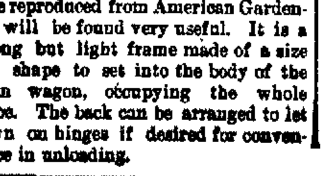
At a German bee convention a large dealer of Berlin advised that beekeepers should dispense as far as possible with the services of middlemen, dealing directly with the consumer, sell to customers at home, at the market of the next town and in groceries. For retail small glasses are preferable holding one-third, one-half, two-thirds and one pound each, with elegant labels.

Marketing Parsnips.

The demand for parsnips is best in winter, and in the southern states they are allowed to remain in the ground until wanted, while in the northern states they are dug late in fall and stored in trenches. They are shipped in small ventilated barrels, the tops having been removed and the roots washed when necessary.

Increasing the Wagon's Capacity.

It is frequently desired to haul to market or from the garden or field a load of bulky but light produce, such as cabbages, squashes, etc. The ordinary farm wagon will not hold half per haps that the team could haul. In such a case the contrivance shown in the cut



A CONVENIENT ARRANGEMENT.

here reproduced from American Gardening will be found very useful. It is a strong but light frame made of a size and shape to set into the body of the farm wagon, occupying the whole space. The back can be arranged to let down on hinges if desired for convenience in unloading.

RECLAIMING DESERTS.

Uncle Sam to Search For Trees Adapted to Arid Regions.

"A systematic canvass of the world will be made in the next four years to determine what tree or trees can best be made to grow in our arid and subarid regions," said Professor B. E. Furnow, chief of the division of forestry of the agricultural department to a representative of the Boston Transcript. Following are other statements made by the professor and of interest to dwellers in arid and subarid localities:

In the arid regions of our country the number of species that can be grown is very limited, and it is entirely possible that a study of the other arid regions of the world will produce something better than we now have. Our agents will make a special study of climatic conditions in the dry regions, here and abroad, for experience has proved, what was long a matter of theory, that seeds do not flourish in a latitude greatly different from that in which they were grown, even though the species to which they belong might flourish over a much wider area. At Grand Rapids last year we made an experiment with box elder grown from seeds collected in various parts of the country. After the first frost the elder from the seed grown in Oklahoma was frost killed while a tree of the same species grown from an Ontario seed was in a very healthy condition. After gathering the necessary information as to comparative climates we shall collect the plant material in special stations under the control of the department. At first we may co-operate with the existing state experiment stations, but that will not suffice, because these stations are naturally located in specially selected soils, and so the most untoward conditions are not met there.

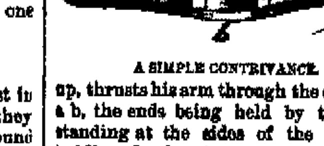
From our present knowledge there is no tree better for the subarid regions of Texas and the southwest than the mesquite. It provides shelter from the wind, furnishes fairly good firewood, and its pods are capable of being used as food for domestic animals. For the semiarid region a little farther north the cottonwood tree is about as good as anything we now have. It makes poor firewood and is a miserable tree, but may be better than nothing.

The Canadian experiment station has introduced from Russia or succeeded in reproducing an apple tree suitable for the more northern dry regions. The apple is small and poor, but is heartily appreciated where it can be made to grow. This suggests an interesting distinction. There are weeds among trees, just as much as among plants. In fact, what is a weed but a plant, the use of which has not been found out? When we find that the sunflower can be used for making oil, it then ceases to be a weed. Among trees the aspen is a weed. So are some black oaks, which do not grow to a useful size, and scrub pines. But the whole matter is relative. The mesquite would be a weed where more serviceable trees could be grown.

The effect of trees in a dry region upon the atmospheric moisture is a somewhat disputed queston. While they diminish evaporation from the soil by furnishing a shade and a windbreak, the transpiration must be taken into account on the other side. The roots of a tree are drawing the water from a great depth and giving it out to the atmosphere through the leaves, and yet here again this cannot help making the atmosphere more moist. But the main thing in the dry regions is to keep the soil granular, so the water can percolate it instead of running off into the rivers when any rain does fall. As soon as people begin to plow land I believe there is an increase of moisture, although this point is disputed. It is apparent that there are now dews in places where there were none formerly, and, although the change in climate will naturally be small and exceedingly slow in coming about, I believe some conquest of the arid regions is being made.

Relieving Choked Cattle.

When the apple or potato has not gone down far, it may be pulled up by running one's arm down and grasping it. The accompanying simple contrivance, originally illustrated and described by Country Gentleman, keeps the animal's mouth open and prevents biting, while the operator, with his coat off and sleeve



A SIMPLE CONTRIVANCE.

up, thrusts his arm through the opening, a b, the ends being held by two men standing at the sides of the cow and holding firmly. A smart boy is best, as his arm is smaller. The two boards are hard wood, half an inch thick, shaved smooth, and the blocks, c c, are just large enough to allow the arm to pass, to which the boards are firmly screwed.

Here and There.

The business of raising and feeding sheep in the west is booming this year. There is, it is said, more money in it than there has been for four years.

Sheep and wool are said to be booming in Ohio.

The rush for cattle and sheep for feeding purposes at the Chicago, Kansas City and South Omaha yards is great.

E. F. Atkins, in The Forum, places the production of beet sugar for the world in the year 1896-7 at 4,991,000 tons, of which the United States produced 40,000 tons, against a total of 2,846,000 tons of cane sugar, of which the United States produced 275,000 tons.

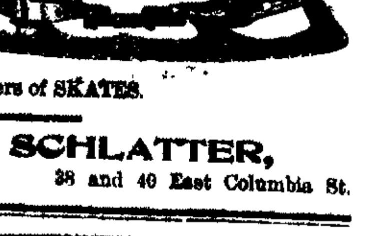
Complaints are reaching the Ohio experiment station regarding the appearance of insects in clover seed in such numbers as to occasion much concern among farmers.

The consumption of mutton is increasing rapidly.

It's a Pleasure to Skate on a Pair of Our

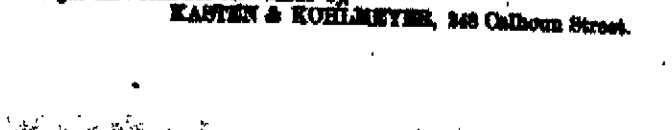
New
Neat
Nobby
Nickel Plated

Skates.



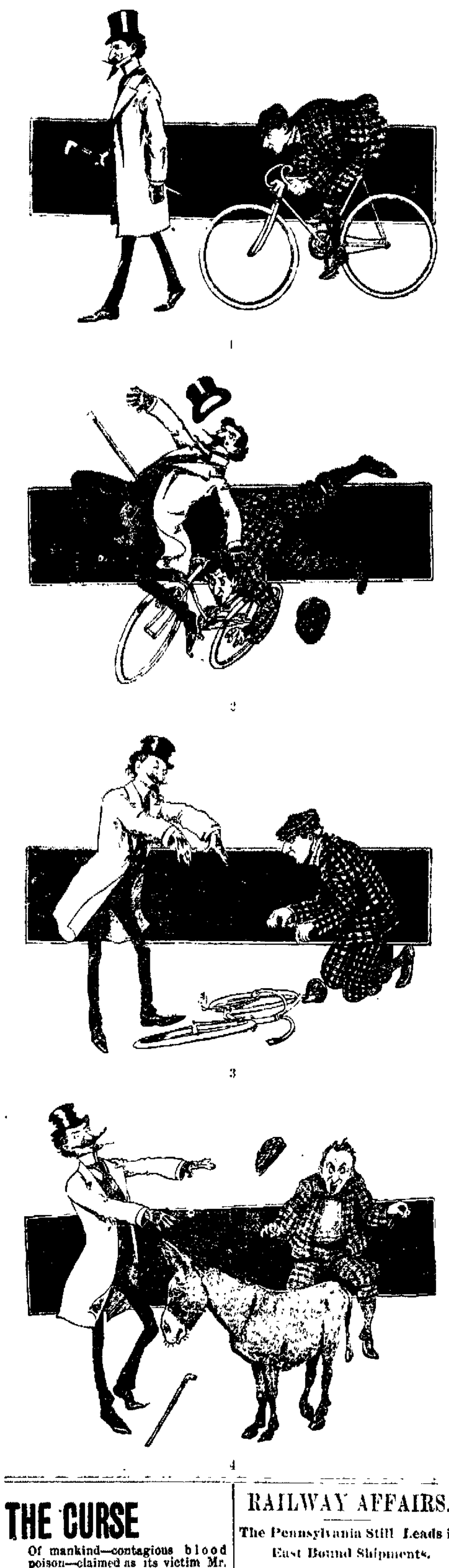
Prices and quality to suit the buyers of SKATES.

PFEIFFER & SCHLATTER,
38 and 40 East Columbia St.



This is the exact size and shape of the Regular Spanish Cigar. The only 10c Cigar that sells for 5c. Made by KASTEN & KOHLMEYER, 348 Calhoun Street.

THE SCORCHER AND THE MAGICIAN.



RAILWAY AFFAIRS.

The Pennsylvania Still Leads in East Bound Shipments.

Accidents, Incidents and Personal Mention of the Industrial Centers as Gathered by Reporters.

Eastbound shipments of freight out of Chicago last week amounted to 95,695 tons, a decrease of 46,228 tons from the shipments of the previous week. The business was divided among the different railroads as follows: Michigan Central, 3,361 tons; Wabash, 6,536; Lake Shore, 11,516; Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago 21,595; Panhandle, 11,933; Baltimore and Ohio, 7,158; Grand Trunk, 15,750; Nickel Plate, 5,693; Erie, 9,277; Big Four, 2,875.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

P. Poiry, of the Pittsburg tank shop, is off duty.

John Fraine, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, is off duty.

Last week the Pullman Palace Car company placed an order for 5,000,000 feet of pine lumber.

C. Bender and C. Thiebold, of the Pittsburg lumber yard, are off duty today, presumably on account of sickness.

The Pennsylvania has just put in operation at its shops in Altoona some electric cranes which will lift sixty tons.

Dave Simon, a clerk in Shop Clerk Meegan's office, is sick and has been removed from his rooms to the hospital.

The Anthony Wayne works have increased the number of hours of work to nine on account of the demand for washers.

Frank Deck, of the Pittsburg copper shop, returned to work this morning after several days' absence on account of an injured eye.

The Ohio Falls car works, at Jeffersonville, Ind., have 1,200 men employed and contracts that will keep them busy the entire winter.

Both Pennsylvania accommodation trains left the depot this morning with newly repainted coaches having the appearance of new trains.

N. Batchelder, of the car department of the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off duty, and W. Krudop, of the lumber yard, is also absent for the same cause.

H. Zollinger, carpenter at the Pittsburg shops, is off duty today.

The Electric corporation shipped a 125-light arc machine to Goshen, Ind., Saturday.

J. W. Menoth, foreman of locomotive repairs at the Pennsylvania company's shops at Wellsville, Ohio, is in the city.

John Nolan, the veteran Pittsburg machinist, returned to work this morning, after several days' absence on account of sickness.

Eva, the daughter of William Donnell, a machinist in the polishing room at the electric works, is recovering from a severe sickness.

Cheney Knight and Bert Olds, of the Electric corporation, are today engaged in installing a motor in the works of the Artificial Ice company.

John Norris, of the West Philadelphia shops of the Pennsylvania railroad, is a guest of Dan Petgen, foreman of the Pittsburg copper shop.

Henry Dornte, a carpenter at the electric works was initiated into the mysteries of masonry Friday evening at the meeting of Summit City lodge.

A new "air gun" was tested today in the Pittsburg machine shop. The "gun" is a compressed air machine used for driving bolts out of engine frames.

The family of David Matthews, the Grand Rapids railroad passenger conductor, are recovering from diphtheria. They reside at Grand Rapids.

Dr. E. F. Wagner, medical examiner, for the Voluntary Relief department of the Pennsylvania company, left today on No. 20 for Cleveland.

Charles W. Cross, foreman of the repair department of the Pennsylvania shops at Allegheny, is in the city and paid a visit to the Pittsburg shops this morning.

On April 1 the Pullman Palace Car company will withdraw from the New York, Ontario and Western and the Wagner Palace Car company will operate on that line.

W. S. Parry, formerly bill clerk at the Wabash freight office in this city, has accepted a position in the office of Superintendent Gould, at Peru, and assumed his duties today.

A. T. Campbell, who has charge of the freight elevator at the electric works, returned to work this morning after an absence of a week or ten days on account of sickness.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana pay car arrived in the city today. The Electric corporation will pay Thursday and the Nickel Plate road will disburse the wages its employes on Friday.

Train Dispatcher H. O. Wilson, of the Nickel Plate, is off duty for several days to visit relatives. Upon his return to his duties Train Dispatcher Urbahns will take a leave of absence.

The auditing department of the Grand Trunk road will be removed from Detroit to Montreal. General Manager Hays desires to centralize the chief offices of the company at that point.

The Nickel Plate has put in a new and large switch board in its telegraph office on Calhoun street. The company recently enlarged and improved its telegraph system from Buffalo to Chicago.

Frank Rich, formerly of this city, but now a bookkeeper at Lima, O., for Swift & Co., the Chicago meat packers, will be one of a party of Elks from that Buckeye town to witness the initiation of the large class into the local lodge of Elks tomorrow.

Next Sunday the Pennsylvania company will abandon its passenger terminal at the foot of Elm street, in Toledo, and its trains will then run into the union depot. The company will, also on that date, establish a more thorough passenger service between Pittsburg and Detroit, by way of Toledo.

The receivers of the Baltimore and Ohio have leased a number of coal cars from John Sheridan, of Allegheny, Md. They are to be paid for by mileage at the rate of six mills per mile, and when the mileage payment equals the cost of the cars they become the property of the Baltimore and Ohio.

George Sweringen and Clarence Haynes, of the Pittsburg shop clerk's office, will be initiated into the order of Elks tomorrow. The initiation will begin at 12:30 o'clock and they expect to be through at 8 p. m. The shop clerk has arranged business so as to get along with a diminished force of assistants for several days.

Captain Stoll's detectives succeeded in capturing some brass thieves who had been causing the Pennsylvania and the Nickel Plate companies much trouble at Grand Crossing. Two of the thieves were caught in the act of driving away with a cart half filled with car brasses. One of the fellows started to run away, but a bullet from Detective Cox's revolver overhauled him. He was wounded in the leg, but not seriously.

Liner Paris Overhauled.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The American line steamer Paris arrived here today from Newport News, wither she had gone to be overhauled. The Paris will resume her place in the New York-Southampton service on January 19.

OFFICERS TO MEET.

Important Meeting of Telephone Men This Week.

State Association to Have an Annual Gathering at Indianapolis Next Wednesday—Home Company in it.

The independent companies of the state have multiplied at a prodigious rate since the organization of the Home Telephone company, in this city. At the time of organization there was reason to be in some dread of the American Bell Telephone company, with its uncounted millions of capital and its numberless patents intended to cover every part of the 'phone. But the infant has grown and the meeting of the Indiana Mutual Telephone association at Indianapolis next Wednesday, to which the local company here will send representatives, includes thirty-five large and thriving exchanges, bound together for mutual profit, advantage and protection. These exchanges, with the number of telephones operated by each, are as follows.

Bedford, 80; Bluffton, 515; Bloomington, 180; Citizens, of Columbus, 197; Fountain, of Covington, 100; Frazee, of Connersville, 143; Home, of Crawfordsville, 283; Darlington, 61; Elkhart, 307. Home, of Fort Wayne, 1,200; Greencastle, 120; Hartford City, 100; Dubois county, of Jasper. Knightstown, 112; Lafayette, 700, Lafayette Toll Line company; Johnson Brothers, of Lagrange, 120 Lebanon, 131; Ladoga; Crawford county, of Leavenworth; Mitchell, 40; Merchants' Mutual, of Michigan City, 240; The Montpelier, 100; Madison, 200; The Kurtz, of Muncie, Noblesville, 94; North Manchester, 40, Home, of New Albany, 210; Shawnee, of Odell, 50; Plymouth, 150; Rochester, 190; Rushville, 123; Jasper, of Rensselaer, 225; Pyke, of Romney, toll lines; Sullivan, 40; Mutual, of Shelbyville, 200; Valparaiso, 100, The Home, of Wabash, 250.

WINTER BUILDING.

Numerous Homes Being Erected In the City.

Architects are Fairly Busy and Indications are Bought for a Busy Season Next Summer.

Building is by no means at a standstill this winter, the present building conditions being better than a year ago, and it is encouraging to know that the architects have great hopes for next summer. Nearly all of the architects have been consulted in regard to contemplated improvements, indicating a boom in dwelling houses and business buildings.

Among the buildings under way are the following:

Contractor Winner is building a cozy four room house for Mrs. Stubnatzy, on West Creighton avenue.

G. W. N. Cains is making some handsome improvements to his home on Brackenridge street.

Mrs. John Christen his having three houses built on Columbia avenue, Lakeside. They will contain modern improvements. Paul Kinder is the contractor.

Architect J. M. E. Riedel has charge of some handsome improvements to the home of Henry Schone, on East Washington street.

A. M. Tower has moved into an elegant new home on the corner of Allen and Webster streets.

A commodious suburban home is being built for M. Geisking, on his farm, north of the city. The house will contain twelve rooms, with all modern conveniences.

Architect M. J. Stock is having built at the corner of Woodland avenue and Clinton street a house that will be the model of architectural beauty and utility. The interior will be finished in hard wood.

H. W. Felts is having two houses built on Harrison street, just north of Superior street.

Trustee Wertz, of Milan township, is having Stock & Co. prepare plans for a new school house in district No. 12.

REAL ESTATE SALES

As Reported by the Dreibelbiss Abstract Company.

Harriet and Joseph Runnison to George Bear, south half east half northwest quarter northeast quarter, section 19, township 32, range 11 east, containing 10 acres, for $250.

Lucien Ort to George Bear, part northeast quarter section 19, township 32, range 11 east, for $35.

Lillie E. and Charles N. Haskell to Malachi C. Cooper, part southeast quarter section 7, township 30, range 13 east, for $1,000.

William and Lucy Moore to Edward N. Wann, part southwest quarter section 26, township 32, part southwest quarter section 26, range 14 east, containing 15 acres, for $850.

Bernard and Hattie Eickhoff to William Hartle, east 32 feet, lot 2, and west 3 feet lot 1, Eickhoff's sub., for $550.

Gustave Jacobs to Paulina Weinecke, lot 38, Nelson's addition, and lots 16 and 21, Moran's sub., for $3,100.

MERRY AND SMITH.

The Murderers of Merry's Wife Put on Trial at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The trial of Christopher Merry and James Smith, the peddlers charged with the murder of Merry's wife, was begun in Judge Horton's court today. The court room was packed and hundreds were turned away. The crowd outside was as great as at any time during the first trial of the alleged wife murderer, Luetgert. Marshal McNutt, of Eddyville, Ky., and Marshal Wilson, of Princeton, Ky., who arrested Merry and Smith, were in court and will be among the first witnesses for the state.

An Editor Dangerously Ill.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Jan. 17.—The condition of Charles M. Shortridge, editor and proprietor of the Mercury, who is ill at the Gilroy hot springs, is critical, and there is little expectation of his recovery.

DEATH CONQUERS.

Hon. Ben Butterworth Succumbs to Long Illness.

Passes Away in Georgia, Where He Had Gone for His Health—His Career.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Jan. 17.—Benjamin Butterworth, United States commissioner of patents, who has been ill at Piney Woods hotel here several weeks, died at 3:15 yesterday afternoon. The end was peaceful, and when it came his wife and children were at his bedside. He came here to recuperate from an attack of pneumonia and recovered rapidly till two weeks ago, when he suffered from uraemic convulsions. From that relapse he never recovered. His body will be sent to Washington tomorrow.

Mr. Butterworth was taken seriously ill in Cleveland last November, and for a while his life was despaired of, but he rallied after he came here in the hope of regaining his strength.

Mr. Butterworth was born in Warren county, Ohio, October 22, 1839. His people were all quakers on both sides. John Linton, who was conspicuous among those who emigrated to Pennsylvania with William Penn, was his maternal ancestor. Until he was eighteen years of age young Butterworth lived on his parents' farm, with such advantages of education as farmers' children usually had in those days. As is generally the case with young men of talent and restless ambition, farming soon proved uncongenial to his tastes, and he decided to fit himself for a professional life. He went to Cincinnati and entered the law office of Durbin Ward, where he pursued his legal studies for two years, and graduated at the Cincinnati Law school in 1861.

His public life began in 1868 and he held successively many minor offices until 1878, when he was nominated by the republicans of the First Ohio district, in Cincinnati, for congress. He was elected. He was re-elected in 1880, and was renominated in 1882, but encountered his first defeat. In 1883 he was appointed by President Arthur to the office of commissioner of patents. In 1884 Mr. Butterworth was again elected to congress and in 1886 he carried his district for the fourth time. During the last campaign he was active in his support of President McKinley. April 1, last, he was appointed by the president commissioner of patents.

A RACE FOR GOLD.

Two Klondikers Brave the Awful Arctic Weather for Riches.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—With the thermometer thirty degrees below zero, a midnight race over thirty-five miles of rough mountain country in the heart of the Klondike has earned for George Graham and Shelton Logger, the first prize of staking off overlooked and unregistered placer claims valued at $600,000.

Graham was at the Canadian register's office on the afternoon of November 15 when a man rushed in and filed a claim on French Pete creek, which adjoins the richest part of Eldorado. He had discovered that in the rush to stake the Klondike district five claims on French Pete creek had been overlooked. Graham rushed to locate the others, having given the tip to three of his friends. They were followed in a wild race by 200 other miners, but succeeded in getting on the coveted ground first.

HORRIBLE CRIME.

John Matthews Kills His Wife and Children and Commits Suicide.

NEW YORK, Jan 17.—A case of what appears to be a triple murder and the suicide of the murderer was discovered today when the bodies of John Matthews, his wife and two children, a boy ten years old and a girl of twelve years, were found dead in the Matthews home on Columbus avenue. It is supposed that Matthews murdered his wife and children and then committed suicide by shooting. Matthews was thirty-five years of age and his wife thirty.

GEORGE GOULD AS A JUROR.

Drawn in New Jersey in Company With a Former Senator.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 17.—One of the most notable grand juries ever drawn in the United States district court for the district of New Jersey is that which will be sworn in tomorrow at the opening of the January term of court. The panel will include several millionaires, among them George J. Gould, a former United States senator, four mayors and several other persons of prominence.

FASHION IN THE EAST.

THERE ARE NO WOMEN DRESSMAKERS IN CHINA

A Costume of the Cheaper Class Costs About Forty Cents, but a Really Handsome Suit Can Be Had For Two Dollars. Business Methods.

Woman, lovely woman, is very much the same the world over. In every city of Christendom her eyes turn toward Paris and her thoughts to the latest mode of that illustrious capital of fashion.

In the Flowery Kingdom they turn to the great metropolis of Canton, out of whose workshops and ateliers come garments of equal style and splendor if not of equal grace and beauty. Ignorant male travelers to the contrary notwithstanding there is fashion in the far east just the same as there is at home.

A keen Chinese observer can tell even more from a woman's clothes about the wearer than can be done at home. Little peculiarities invisible to western eyes reveal the province where the clothes were made, equally intangible things show her status and rank. I believe there are Europeans who have mastered these mysteries, at least I have been told so although I have never yet met one.

There are no women dressmakers in China. They are all men, and every one with the importance and arrogance of Mr. Worth of Paris.

Woe to the customer who dare criticise their work or suggest improvements. So sure too are they to the others so that their clerks are men. There are any number of these establishments in the city of Canton. When you have been to one of the great ones, you have been to all!

In front of the house hangs a great signboard in scarlet and gold. It is a foot or two wide and reaches from the sidewalk up to the second or third story. The characters read: "Happiness and prosperity. The house of golden splendor, women's dresses." There are no show windows or casements of any kind. The entire front is open to the thoroughfare. There is a low and wicked railing across the entrance, however, which bids defiance to sneak thieves and compels ingress and egress through a gate as narrow as the one mentioned in Scripture. When you pass this, you find yourself in a large and very neat store some 20 feet wide, 80 feet long and 15 to 20 feet high. The walls are covered with shelving from floor to ceiling, and these seemed filled to the last available inch with bundles done up in paper of all sorts of colors. These bundles contain each one article of clothing and are supposed to be proof against moths, white ants, cockroaches and the other insect pests of the far east.

Upon each bundle in clearly written Chinese characters is a brief memorandum of the contents and the price. A small ebony counter at either end permits the exhibition of the goods, and light bamboo ladders enable the clerks to reach the upper shelves about the place. There is quite an army of employees, who seem half bookkeepers and half salesmen. There is a larger army of customers examining and buying goods. There are no shoppers. Shopping seems to be a mysterious modern vice that has reached its most deadly stage in the leading cities of Uncle Sam. If a Chinese lady were asked to go shopping, she would first want the thing explained to her and then would probably scream and run away under the impression that her interlocutor was raving mad.

The people of the establishment are very polite and bring down everything which they think approaches your desire. They first reach down the bundle and open it upon one of the counters. The folding of these bundles is extremely ingenious. They are so made up of salient and re-entering angles that when the last triangular point is folded over and forced into itself it is impossible for any living thing or even for dust to get inside of it. On one occasion I dropped a bundle of this sort overboard and fished it out again. After drying the outside I opened it and to my surprise and delight found that the water had not penetrated to the goods within.

The bundle, opened, discloses the garment inside neatly folded according to the conventional system employed by the Chinese trade. There is not much variety to woman's garments in China, so far as general form is concerned. She wears a pair of trousers which always come from the upper waist to the ankles and a coat which is either long or short. In these bundles, therefore, if it is not inexpressibles it is a coat, and vice versa. The cheapest goods are made of light thin muslin or cotton cloth dyed black, brown or blue. Other colors are also used, but to no such extent as the three first named. The trousers are unbroken and are held in place by a string or belt. The coat is also a single piece and is fastened with little frogs. In cheap materials the frogs are plain cotton cord of the same color as the suiting.

A costume of the cheap class costs usually 40 cents, but sometimes it is sold as low as 30. Next in grade are those made from finer stuffs, sheetings, drills, teacloth, long ells, camelots and Indian muslins. These range from 50 cents to 70 cents. Here the button of the frog is made of brass, glass or dark wood and is so arranged that it can be taken off and replaced easily and quickly. Then come suits made of light woolens, fine flannels, Japanese crapes, canton flannel, alpaca, camel's hair and grasscloth. These range from 75 cents to $2. In these the frogs are more elaborate, and the frog buttons are gilded or made out of pretty hollow metal. Here, too, come in special suits, rain coats and trousers which are sometimes waterproof, but more frequently aquapellent, and winter clothing, which in its simplest form is made from cloth heavily padded with cotton and in more luxurious forms of any fine goods lined with fur. The prices of these naturally vary to the greatest extreme. A suit made of sheeting thickly padded with cotton and tufted can be secured for $1, while the silk coat lined with tiger cub fur or other handsome skin will often cost as high as $75. The more expensive articles are worn by the wives of the great officials, who are not 1 per cent of the entire population.

Next in the scale is silk apparel. This is what maketh glad the Celestial heart. The poorest boatwoman saves up her money cent by cent until she has accumulated the amount necessary to buy a coveted silk robe. She will even wear a silk coat with ragged cotton trousers, but a silk coat she must have as an evidence of respectability. The variety of silks is something perfectly wonderful. You can get pretty silk from the province of Fukien in delicate colors, which makes exquisite underwear as well as fetching summer dresses, for 14 cents per yard. From this the prices range upward. For 25 and 30 cents you can get handsome, finely finished silks that will last five or six years. Then there are bamboo silks from the north, which are so called because each thread is as strong, firm and durable as the fibers of that wonderful wood. There are [illegible] grosgrain silk [illegible] to [illegible] grosgrain, but with a gloss like the finest satin. There are bright silks [illegible] silks heavy and light, smooth [illegible] and rough finished and in more [illegible] than were ever dreamed of in [illegible] Lyons.

The [illegible] you buy a [illegible] the fact is [illegible] in the salesbook, but also in what might be called an order book, and the very [illegible] a duplicate of [illegible] purchase is under way. It is [illegible] as possible so that the [illegible] in the store may be kept up at its [illegible]. This is a good rule [illegible] which sell rapidly. As to other styles they remain upon the shelves only heaven knows how long. Such institutions as the bargain counter and sales of shop worn and shelf worn goods are unknown in the celestial east. On the other hand, they have a custom unspeakably dear to the Mongolian mind. Toward the close of the year nearly every tradesman wants a large amount of ready cash. Sometimes it is to pay off the debts of the business and start the new year free and clear, sometimes it is for the charities and festivals for which the land is famous. They then mark down their older goods a reasonable amount, and when this does not bring in enough money they keep it up the first two or three weeks of the new year. In this way there are bargains and of course, bargain hunters and bargain buyers.

The business is almost entirely a cash business. Credits are given, but so rarely as to call for remark. The dealer is satisfied with a small profit, and neither tries to make a fortune in a single year nor to pose as a philanthropist like some of the goodly people of Philadelphia. MARGHERITA ARLINA HAMM.

COUNTESS LICHTERVELDE.

Pleasing Personality of the New Belgian Minister's Wife.

Count G. de Lichtervelde, the new minister from Belgium, is one of the tallest and finest looking men in the diplomatic corps at Washington. When he was presented to President Cleveland for the first time last February, he pleasantly referred to his stay in this country some 25 years ago in the beginning of his diplomatic career. He did not bring his family with him last year. When he came back in November, he was accompanied by his wife and the youngest of their five sons, a handsome boy of 7 years, who is at school in Washington. The other boys are pursuing their studies at home, the eldest, about 21, intending to follow in his father's footsteps.

Count and Countess de Lichtervelde are members of two of the oldest and most distinguished families in Belgium.

COUNTESS DE LICHTERVELDE.

The countess' ancestors were the Counts de Spangen, and her grandfather was a general in the Austrian army. Her mother was a beautiful Spanish lady of noble lineage. Her husband has filled many important diplomatic positions, has represented his king at the Swedish, Italian and other courts, and everywhere the countess' pleasing personality has won for her many friends. She is slight and graceful, of medium height and has a bright, sparkling face. Her dark, curly hair is sprinkled with white, and her gray eyes dance with merriment when she is amused. She talks entertainingly in several languages, speaking English quite fluently, is fond of outdoor life and greatly enjoys wheeling about the broad smooth streets of Washington. Not long before leaving home she took up photography and is already quite an expert. She goes out nearly every day with her camera and has a fine collection of views.

JULIETTE M. BABBITT.

Miss Jane Addams of the Hull House settlement in Chicago has been appointed postmaster of substation No. 10 in that city; salary, $2,400. Now Miss Addams will be able to make practical application of still more of her philanthropic plans.

NOT THE ONLY PEBBLE.

The Bride Soon Convinced Sam That There Were Others.

As I reached a bend in the road that leads to San Dimas I came upon a young woman sitting upon an object in the middle of the road. I soon discovered that it was a young man, but his head was jammed so far down in the sand as to be unrecognizable.

"Howdy, stranger?" exclaimed the young woman as she grinned up at me. "I'm settin on Sam!"

"So I see," I answered.

"Me an him hev jes' bin down ter the meetin house gittin spliced."

"What seems to be the trouble now?"

"Thar ain't no trouble now, stranger. The enemy has bin crushed, an the victor is now restin on her laurels. Ye see, it wuz this way, stranger. We wuz comin along yere with our arms around each other's necks, an a-billin an a-cooin like two turtledoves when Sam yere jumped up inter the air, an crackin his heels tergether yelled

"'Whoopee, I'm the only pebble on the beach!'

"'What's thet?' says I.

"'I'm the only pebble on the beach,' says he.

"'Sam Grubbs,' says I, 'yer a liar.' An then the fout commenced, an it didn't take Sam but three minutes ter find out thet he wuzn't the pum'kins thet he thought he wuz.

"Yere, Sam," she cried, seizing hold of the youth's hair and pulling his head out of the sand where it was jammed, "tell the stranger what ye are."

"I'm a little clam," he answered sullenly.

"Thet ain't all of it, Sam. Tell the rest of it or I'll wallop ye ag'in."

"On the beach"—

"Go ahead, Sam," she cried encouragingly.

—"at low tide."

"Thar, ye hear, stranger!" she cried triumphantly. "Thet's what he is. He's only a little clam on the beach at low tide. Ye kin move on now, stranger. I'm goin ter set on Sam a little longer so as ter make sure that he won't forgit what he is."—New York Sunday World.

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Author—Do you really think so?

Friend—Yes, but it seems to have been wretchedly cooked.

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†	2 55 pm
†From Richmond arrives	8 25 pm
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10.	Toledo Local Express ex. Sunday	6 55 a.m.
6.	N. Y. & N. Eng. Flyer, daily	11 50 a.m.
4.	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	6 30 p.m.
10.	Decatur Accom. arrive ex. Sunday	8 45 p.m.
	GOING WEST.	
11.	Decatur Accom., ex. Sunday	5 31 a.m.
5.	Pacific Ex., ex. Sunday	9 33 a.m.
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No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 40 p m

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SOUTHWARD	ARRIVE.
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WANTED—A young girl [illegible]

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FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on first page, first column. tf

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FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows for sale. Inquire No. 25 W. Main St. 4tf

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FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security, see "ad" on first page, first column. 7tf

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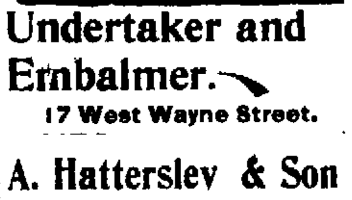

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The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, JAN. 17, 1898.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—For Indiana: Threatening, with show of rain tonight and Tuesday, warmer tonight, fresh southeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Henry Zollinger, of 172 John street, is very ill.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Roche, of 8 Hough street—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kruse celebrated their silver wedding yesterday.

Mrs. Charles G. Guild will leave tomorrow for a visit at Bloomington, Ill.

Host W. D. Jones, of the New Aveline, is able to be around again after an illness.

Mrs. Carl Siemon, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. F. Curtis.

Mrs. M. W. Freeman arrived from Buffalo last evening to be the guest of Mrs. Max Rubin.

William Wagner, who has been visiting his aunt in this city, left for his home in Dayton, Ohio.

Master Howard Winch entertained a number of his friends last Saturday evening, at his home.

Rev. A. W. Seabrease has been granted a two weeks' vacation. During his absence his pulpit will be supplied by Bishop White.

Charles L. Carter and W. H. Carter went to Van Wert, Ohio, today. They will put in tile floors at the court house, which is being remodeled.

Miss Christina Bleeke, of Monroe, Mich., who formerly resided with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wiegman, of East Wayne street, is visiting friends in the city.

The ladies of the Social Aid club will entertain their husbands next Friday evening by giving a "snap" social at the residence of Mrs. John Casy, 38 East Williams street.

Miss Bertha Miller, of Decatur, Ind., who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Miller, of 224 Washington boulevard, has returned to her home.

Mrs. James A. Graham will entertain the Ladies' auxiliary, Order of Eastern Star, and their friends, at her home, No. 230 East Lewis street, from 2 to 5 o'clock, Wednesday.

The meeting of Sunday school presidents, to be held at the city hall on Saturday, January 29th, promises to be largely attended. Officers from all parts of the country will be present.

The Ott farm, eleven miles north of the city, was sold Saturday to Gustave Scheffler, the West Main street tailor, for $8,000. The sale was conducted through the Niswonger agency. The farm contains 131 acres.

Miss Charlotte Lowry entertained the pupils of her Sunday school class at her home Saturday afternoon at an "autonomy" party. It was unique and greatly enjoyed. Supper was served at the close of the game.

C. B. Fitch, general agent of the National Life Insurance company, for northeastern Indiana, has just refused a flattering offer from one of the prominent eastern life insurance companies to become its manager for the west with offices at Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Olds will arrive shortly from Mattoon, Ill., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinnaird, of West Williams street. She will be accompanied by her little daughter. Mr. Olds has secured a position at Denver, Col., which offers such an inducement that they will shortly move to that city.

Mr. Z. Nye gave an earnest, practical talk at Trinity M. E. church, yesterday afternoon, to a large audience of men. He pointed out that there were 350 saloons and no City Y. M. C. A. He said that consecrated workers were needed. At the close of his remarks there were many requests for prayers. Services will be continued every night.

The True Blues met Saturday night and balloted on candidates for admission into the company. Four candidates were elected, and they will take examinations some time this week. The organization elected the following civil officers for the year 1898: Treasurer, J. W. Spice; company clerk, J. W. Peckin. The Blues will give a grand military ball to initiate their new uniforms February 21.

The Rev. S. A. Wimsey, of Cincinnati, has consented to deliver the lecture in this city on St. Patrick's day, under the auspices of St. Vincent de Paul society. He will deliver the sermon at the pontifical high mass in the morning, and will lecture at Library hall in the evening. Father Wimsey is a lecturer of national reputation, and Fort Wayne sons of Erin have reason for congratulation in securing his services.

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Orff's, Bloomingdale and Globe Mills, best Flour down to $4.25 bbl.

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Best Potatoes, large and mealy, 65c bushel.

Buckwheat Flour, 10 lb sack, down to 17c sack.

Very Best Maple Syrup, 75c gal.

Best Smoked Shoulders, 6c lb.

Best Sugar Cured Hams, 9c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

E. R. Gesaman is at Toledo on business.

Mrs. Hannah Collins, of 78 Lake avenue, is reported to be quite ill.

Col. D. N. Foster went to Grand Rapids this morning to buy furniture.

Mrs. T. R. Pickard is expecting as her guest this week Miss Kittering, of Defiance.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Klingman is recovering from a two weeks illness.

Madame Vier, of Detroit, who has been the guest of Mrs. John B. Reuss, has returned home.

Miss Bessie Blake, of Monroe, Mich., is visiting Miss Minnie Narwold, of East Lewis street.

The next meeting of the International Brotherhood league will be on Sunday evening February 6th.

The W. I. B.'s will give a dancing party at the Zollinger Battery armory on the 26th of this month.

The Westminster Brotherhood will meet in the chapel of the Westminster church this evening at 7:30.

Judge E. O'Rourke lectured before a large audience at the rooms of the Theosophical society last evening, at 32 Calhoun street.

Mrs. Arwid Polster, wife of the Bloomingdale druggist, has returned from a two months' visit with relatives and friends at Pittsburg.

Mrs. William Swartzel, of 109 John street, left this morning for Dayton, Ohio, and other parts of the state, where she will visit relatives.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge, No. 342, F. and A. M., Tuesday evening, January 18, for work. All members are requested to be present.

The Homing club yesterday elected Charles Pape secretary of the races for the ensuing year. He will have charge of the pigeons used for fast flights.

Wednesday afternoon, from 2 to 5, at her home, 230 East Lewis street, Mrs. J. A. Graham will entertain Shiloh chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and friends.

At the meeting of the Royal Neighbors last Friday evening all the old officers were re-elected except the vice oracle. Mrs. Hardendorf was elected to this position.

Ben Hur court No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet this evening, as usual, in their hall, on Court street. All members are requested to be present promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

A new cooking club which has been formed among the young girls of the high school, gave a dinner Saturday evening at the home of Mae and Clara Sheperd, to which they invited their young gentlemen friends.

The Penny Benefit association of St. Julian Council, C. B. L., will meet tomorrow evening at Library hall for the annual election of officers and other business. Since this branch of the order was started four years ago it has accomplished a great deal of good.

John C. Grimme, who for many years has been connected with Grimme's tailoring establishment, has retired from that position to accept a place with Frank Rekers, of the Schmitz block. Mr. Grimme will have charge of the business department and will also go on the road in the interest of the business.

The Carroll club will meet this week with Miss Elizabeth Hedekin. The club was addressed at the last meeting by the Rev. Father Delaney on the subject of "Rationalists and Miracles." The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Louis Fox, and the hostess delightfully entertained those present after the program.

William W. Cook, of Wallen, Ind., has received official notification of his appointment to the railway mail service, as substitute. His duties will begin shortly. Mr. Cook is a graduate of the Fort Wayne high school, of the class of '93, and has many friends who will be glad to learn of his success. He had the highest per centage of any applicant who took the civil service examination last April in this city, and it was the second highest in the state.

Miss Ada Moore entertained at progressive pedro Saturday evening, it being the anniversary of her birth. She was the recipient of many presents, among which was a very handsome bicycle. Music, games and dancing were among the features of the evening, followed by a dainty luncheon served at a late hour. Miss Minnie Tegtmeyer and Joseph Bailor were awarded the first prizes and the consolation prizes were carried off by Miss Myrtle Mangnan and Ed. Miller.

With the compliments of Bush & Anspach, 94 Calhoun street, THE SENTINEL has received a handsome plaster medallion of Hon. William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska. The figure is almost life-size and the likeness to the original is most striking. The medallion stands in pronounced relief to a background of silver, while beneath is an enlarged reproduction of a silver dollar, significant of Mr. Bryan's battle for the white metal and the "dollar of the daddies." The gentlemen named in the foregoing have also a similar medallion of President McKinley and they are calling on the leading democrats and republicans of the city.

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In a Superior Article of Mince Meat

Packed in 2 lb Cans and Sold for 9c Can at The Greatest Grocery.

Kleanit, for cleaning silver, brass and glass, 8c package.

Parlor Matches, 500 box, 25c doz. boxes.

Self Raising Buckwheat and Pan Cake Flour, 2 lb pkgs., 5c.

Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c quart.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

The Parliamentary Coterie met at the Y. W. C. A. this afternoon.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon, of Ida avenue—a daughter.

The Seven club will meet with Mrs. S. C. Lumbard next Wednesday afternoon.

St. Julian Council, No. 80, C. B. L., will install officers tomorrow evening at Library hall.

Miss May O'Brien, of Charles street, has recovered from a sickness of ten days with the grip.

Phillip Werstein was at Garrett, Ind., last Friday to install officers of the Catholic Benevolent Legion.

The Fortnightly club will listen to a paper on Henry David Thoreau, tonight, the subject to be presented by H. O. Wise.

Summit City lodge No. 2, D. of H., A. O. U. W., will hold their memorial services at their hall, corner Calhoun and Superior streets, Tuesday evening, January 18. All members of the order in the city are cordially invited to attend.

NEW HORROR OF WAR

AN APPALLING FEATURE THAT HAS HITHERTO BEEN OVERLOOKED.

How Could England Expect Englishmen to Do Their Duty In Battle With Their Fathers-in-law? Possible International Complications That Worry a Thinker.

"Even the remote possibility of a war is a terrible thing to contemplate," said the thoughtful man who is always making trouble for himself by thinking.

"There is something about that observation that has a chestnutty flavor," returned the man who makes it a point never to do any more thinking than is absolutely necessary to live.

"Ah, but the thought is peculiarly horrible at this time," explained the thoughtful man. "The conditions are such that the result of a war—particularly a war with England—would be simply awful. You see, in considering these things the average man overlooks entirely the most appalling features. He fails to dwell sufficiently on the terrible conflict that would wage in the breast of many an Englishman when he should be thinking only of his duty to his country.

"Picture to yourself the young Duke of Marlborough on a gunboat just outside of New York harbor," went on the thoughtful man, warming up to his work. "Duty says he must shell the town. Puff! A boom and a wreath of smoke, and what happens? He has blown the roof off his father-in-law's house or made serious inroads into the art treasures of his wife's uncle. Shall he fire again? Think of the torture of trying to answer that question: Another shot may jeopardize a million or two that he has hopes of getting later, or it may have a serious effect upon some of his wife's investments. In addition to this he has the fortune of the dowager Duchess of Marlborough to think of, which amounted to about $7,000,000 when the late duke got his hands on it, and for all he knows some fool gunner may lop a cipher off of it without knowing what he's doing.

"And while these thoughts are flitting through the head of the young duke somebody in the next boat is very likely worrying for fear he may knock the spots out of a section of the $12,000,000 that Mrs. Marshall O. Roberts is said to have brought Colonel Ralph Vivian, while Hon. A. H. Paget, who got a little something with Miss Pauline Whitney, is trying to figure out how he can avoid hitting the stock market, and the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain is shooting blank cartridges to avoid doing any harm to the securities that he got with Miss Mary Endicott.

"At the same time L. Z. Leiter is on top of the statue of Liberty signaling to Hon. George N. Curzon for heaven's sake to spare him and his fortune, if only to show his appreciation of the $5,000,000 that he got with Miss Mary Leiter. Then there is the $2,000,000 that Miss Cornelia Martin brought to the Earl of Craven and— But why continue? Why harrow up the soul by picturing the awful struggles that would come with such a war? Why bring home to England the fearful thought that some of her most promising young men would be sorely tempted to turn back from the war and tell her to chase herself down to India or the Sudan, where there is money to be made and not money to be lost—where there are no wealthy relatives to anger or financially disable?

"I tell you, sir," and the thoughtful man became more emphatic, "there is no limit to the terrors of a war between this country and any of the European nations that are old enough to have titles to sell. Think of Prince Hatzfeldt storming the Stock Exchange with a gatling gun! Think of the Count de Castellane bombarding railroads and smashing dividends! In the old days it was possible to go to war and kill people and burn towns without doing any serious injury to oneself or one's relatives, but it isn't so now. Any shot is likely to be a boomerang, and there are relatives everywhere. It is worthy of note, too, that, although this is a young country comparatively, it is rapidly becoming the papa-in-law of all the rest of creation."

The man who makes it a point never to do any more thinking than is necessary observed the worried look of the man who is always making trouble for himself, yawned and replied carelessly:

"A war would be sort of tough, wouldn't it?"—Chicago Post.

As Mulligan Viewed It.

Mulligan—It's gettin so it's a hard matter for a mon to live in France.

O'Rourke—Fhy so?

Mulligan—Fhy, the birth rate over there is lower than the death rate, so a mon livin in that darned counthry stands a bigger chance of dyin than he does of bein born.—New York Sunday World.

The Highwayman's Logic.

If you didn't get what you want, of course you don't want what you got, therefore hand it over.—Boston Transcript.

Quick Lake Travel.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer: "When we put on our new boat next June," said Manager Tom Newman of the Buffalo line, "I think we will have the ideal lake route in really ideal shape. We are going to make a ten-hour run between the two cities, and I don't know where you can equal it. You see it takes close to twenty minutes to get out of either harbor, and that leaves the actual running time about nine hours and twenty minutes, which means a fraction over twenty miles an hour. I've looked through some tables and schedules pretty thoroughly, and I don't know where you'll find a similar run. They can't do it on the Hudson, I know, and if they equal it anywhere else the books don't show it. Of course, you understand that this isn't racing speed. It's just the regular everyday rate. We could crack it up several miles better, but twenty an hour is fast enough."

Fecundity of Sparrows.

Sparrows are the rabbits of the feathered world in point of multiplication, frequently producing more than twenty young ones in a season, three or four broods of six or seven each being not unusual. In six years the progeny of one single pair of sparrows will amount to millions, as evidence the alarming rapidity with which the United States, New Zealand and Australia are now infested, the number originally taken over by emigrants being very small. Complaints from American, Australian and New Zealand agriculturists of the ravages committed by the bird are even more bitter than those of English farmers. The total numbers of sparrows are out of all proportions to those of other species of birds.

Relief for Tired Saleswomen.

Not only the saleswomen complain, but trained nurses often suffer from swollen feet, especially when they first go into hospitals. A powder which is much used in the German army for sifting into the shoes and stockings of the infantry soldiers might be of service. It consists of three parts of salicylic acid, ten parts of starch and eighty-seven parts of pulverized soapstone. This keeps the feet dry, prevents chafing and heals any sore spots. The soapstone alone, without the other ingredients, has also been found useful and soap alone will give relief when well rubbed over the sole of the stocking.

An Aluminium House.

A. F. Howes of Weymouth, Mass., has secured patents on a portable aluminium house, which, when packed for transportation, is in three bundles, weighing only 130 pounds, including stove and cooking utensils. It will house four persons, is fireproof and is called "the Klondike home."

Thanks Expressed.

The household of Walter Leach, through THE SENTINEL, wish to express their sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted them in their late bereavement in the death of their father.

MR. AND MRS. WALTER LEACH.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Wheat—Jan., 91¼c; May, 90⅞c; July, 80⅝@⅞c; Sept., 75½c; Dec., 75⅝c.

Corn—Jan., 26½c; May, 28⅝@29c; July, 30c.

Oats—Jan., 22c; May, 23⅝@¾c; July, 22c.

Pork—Jan., $9.25; May, $9.40.

Lard—Jan., $4.62; May, $4.72@4.75; July, $4.80@4.82½.

Ribs—Jan., $4.57; May, $4.67@4.70.

Ticket 23,071 is worth $10 in cash at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Cosmopolitan

Incandescent Gas Lights complete; each, at store, 90 cents.

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Notice.

Under and by virtue of a chattel mortgage executed to me on the 17th of December, 1897, by Minnie E. Mann, I will offer for sale, on the first day of February, 1898, at number 25 Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Ind., all the personal property in my possession by virtue of said mortgage, consisting of boots, shoes, etc., for cash, and until above date at retail.

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Assignee's Sale.

The undersigned, as assignee of J. L. Tretheway, will, under and by virtue of an order of the Allen circuit court of Allen county, Indiana, sell, at public sale, on Tuesday, January 18th, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the store room known as No. 118 Calhoun street, in the city of Fort Wayne, being the store room formerly occupied by Tretheway Bros., a stock of shoes, rubbers and trunks and fixtures.

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Gal. Apples .... 25c.
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But the Ratio May Have to Be Made 20 to 1.

Marcus A. Hanna Sworn In as Senator From Ohio.

The Immigration Bill Before the Senate—Mr. Gage Answers Questions of the Committee on Currency.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—In anticipation of an interesting session of the senate today all of the galleries were well filled, some time before the senate convened. Mrs. Wolcott, wife of Senator E. O. Wolcott, chairman of the bimetallic commission, who was to deliver a speech upon the work of the commission was in the diplomatic gallery with a party of friends. Many ladies from the various foreign legations were also in the diplomatic gallery.

Mr. Hanna, who has just been elected senator from Ohio, made his first appearance on the floor since his election. He was cordially greeted by his colleagues on both sides of the chamber. His coming to Washington was unexpected, as it had been announced that he would remain in Cleveland for several days to rest.

Chaplain Milburn, in his invocation, made touching references to the death of Major Benjamin Butterworth, commissioner of patents, and to that of Logan Carlisle, son of the late secretary of the treasury.

HANNA SWORN IN.

Mr. Foraker announced that the legislature of Ohio had chosen Marcus Alonzo Hanna to be senator from Ohio for the remainder of Mr. Sherman's term of six years, ending March 4, 1899. He presented Mr. Hanna's credentials and they were read. As there was no objection to the administration of the oath of office, Mr. Foraker escorted Mr. Hanna to the vice president's desk. As the two senators passed down the main aisle of the senate there was a murmur in the galleries, a craning of necks to get a good view of the two distinguished Ohioans. Mr. Hanna appeared to be in first rate health. The oath of office was administered by the vice president and Mr. Hanna's response was distinctly audible to all. Many senators hastened to extend their congratulations to Mr. Hanna after the administration of the oath.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Among the memorials presented were the remonstrances of 512 Roman Catholic societies of the United States, representing more than 50,000 members, offered by Mr. Murphy, of New York, against the enactment of the pending immigration bill.

Mr. Foraker, for the Pacific railroad committee, reported from the committee, a substitute for a bill relating to the Pacific railroads and asked for its immediate consideration. Objection was made and the report went over until tomorrow.

Mr. Hale, of the appropriation committee, reported the urgency deficiency bill passed last week by the house, and gave notice that he would call it up tomorrow at the conclusion of the routine morning business.

Senator Foraker today reported from the committee on Pacific railroads a bill authorizing the president, if necessary for the protection of the government, to bid in the Kansas Pacific railroad at the coming sale.

Mr. Harris, of Kansas, presented a resolution, for which he requested immediate consideration, asking the secretary of the treasury why, since 1882, he had omitted from his statement an item of something more than $11,000,000 interest due the United States from the Pacific railroads. Objection was made by Mr. Thurston, of Nebraska, and the resolution went over until tomorrow.

Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, presented and asked for the immediate consideration of a resolution directing the committee on pensions to ascertain by what authority the commissioner of pensions refuses to pass upon applications for increases of pensions until twelve months shall have elapsed since the last allowance was made. Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, chairman of the pension committee, objected to immediate consideration of the resolution. It went over until tomorrow.

WORK OF BIMETALLIC COMMISSION.

At 12:30 Mr. Wolcott, of Colorado, chairman of the bimetallic commission, was recognized for a speech upon the work of the commission. By this time the galleries and the floor were crowded. Mr. Wolcott was in fine voice and spoke with only occasional references to his manuscript, which he had before him. He was accorded the closest attention by his auditors, among whom were many members of the house.

Senator Wolcott, in his speech upon the work of the bimetallic commission, said: "It is my sincere conviction that an international bimetallic agreement is still feasible, by the terms of which certain countries will join us and open their mints to the unlimited coinage of silver and others will contribute to the plan an enlarged use of that metal as money; and I say this the more freely because I shall give way upon the commission to somebody more fitted for such negotiations and better able to give them his constant time. This result cannot be brought about without the expenditure of both time and patience and the persons entrusted with the duty of negotiation must have back of them the hearty support of the president and of congress."

He thought it might be necessary to change the ratio to something like 20 to 1. The famine in India is more a money famine than a food famine. He referred to the attitude of Secretary Gage on financial questions, contrasting it with the president's position, and said Secretary Gage's bill will reach limbo before it reaches the senate. In conclusion he said it would be cowardly to abandon hope and added: "International bimetallism is to the gold monometallists a stumbling block, and to the silver monometallists, foolishness, but it is nevertheless a splendid possibility; its accomplishment would be the greatest blessing that could befall our people, and to achieve it we might well afford to sink for the time the hostilities of party and the bickerings of factions."

Mr. Wolcott concluded his speech at 2:05 p. m., having spoken for an hour and fifteen minutes. As he sat down there was a burst of applause throughout the chamber, and for several minutes he was surrounded by his colleagues who desired to tender to him their congratulations.

IMMIGRATION BILL.

Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, desiring to speak upon the resolution which had been the basis of Mr. Wolcott's remarks, asked that the resolution be read. Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts, demanded the regular order, which was the immigration bill, and as he was sustained in his demand by the vice president, Mr. Allen said that, as he had the floor, he would speak upon that bill. Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, announced that he would be compelled to leave the chamber and requested Mr. Allen to yield him a few minutes for some remarks upon the bill. The request was granted. Mr. Hoar spoke in favor of the bill. Mr. Spooner, of Wisconsin, while supporting the general character of the bill, pointed out a feature which he said was indefensible, namely, that required an immigrant to both read and write some of the United States constitution. Rather than support the provision requiring the immigrant to write, as well as to read, he would be compelled to vote against the bill.

The House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—This was District of Columbia day in the house and immediately after the reading of the journal Mr. Curtis, of the District of Columbia committee, claimed the day and the house proceeded to the consideration of district business.

After the passage of three bills of purely local importance the house resumed consideration of the army appropriation bill, which was begun on Saturday.

Secretary Gage and ex-Secretary Fairchild were before the house committee on banking and currency today, for a further discussion of the pending plans for currency reform. After considerable controversy among members as to how they were to be questioned, Chairman Walker made the interrogatories. In response to questions by Mr. Walker, Mr. Gage said he had been in the banking business for forty years; for ten years was president of the First National bank of Chicago, with a capital of $3,000,000 and loans and discounts of $10,000,000 to $20,000,000. He assented to Mr. Walker's question that he appeared as a banker and financier of long experience to aid the committee. The chairman asked if it was possible to use paper money and keep it at an equality with coin in purchasing power without the coin on hand. Mr. Gage thought not. Without the specie on hand there was a tendency to distrust, if not to panic, and to a demand for specie.

MEET AS FATHER AND SON.

General and Ballington Booth Exchange Friendly Greetings.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—General William Booth, of the Salvation Army, and his son, Ballington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, met by appointment Sunday in the presence of two prominent clergymen as witnesses, and gave for publication this formal statement:

"General William Booth and Commander Ballington Booth met in the Windsor hotel in the presence of Dr. Josiah Strong and Dr. Chas. Cuthbert Hall on Sunday, January 16th.

"The interview was purely as between father and son.

"Nothing transpired calculated to lead to any union of the two movements.

"It was agreed that all public controversy in the press and otherwise between the two movements should, as far as possible, come to an end."

The meeting lasted for half an hour. According to the two witnesses the Booths met as father and son naturally would after a separation of two years. Nothing was said about any future meeting.

Bob Allen, manager of the Indianapolis base ball club, was in the city a short time today. He came to get a line on a number of Fort Wayne players, principally a catcher.

A GIGANTIC STRIKE.

Result of Wage Reductions in Cotton Mills.

Eighty Thousand Operatives Are Affected.

Promise of a Long and Bitter Struggle.

Textile Mills Throughout New England Are Involved—Strike Is Now In Full Blast.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 17.—The 80,000 or more skilled operatives employed in about seventy of the chief cotton mills of New England states will today come under the sweeping order of a new wage scale which entails a reduction of 10 per cent, or more.

This reduction will bring on in New Bedford, Mass., Lewiston and Biddeford, Me., labor strikes which may prove the beginning of an industrial battle greater in extent and more disastrous in effect than any in the previous history of cotton manufacturing in the United States.

The battle against the corporations undoubtedly would have been fought everywhere had not the voice of men and women who are ill prepared at this time of year to go into idleness been heeded by conservatives. As it is the great majority of persons employed in nine corporations in New Bedford and one corporation each in two Maine cities, will take upon themselves the task of forcible resistance to the reduction.

TEN THOUSAND IDLE.

In New Bedford the nine corporations represent twenty-two mills with over 770,000 spindles or 21,000 looms, giving means of livelihood to nearly ten thousand. The strikes will be directed by the labor unions, the lead being taken by the mule spinners' union, the national executive committee of which has sanctioned the strike of opposition and promised financial aid. The spinners and weavers are practically the only branches of textile operatives which have maintained organization. One striking feature of the preliminary agitation against the cut down and the strike talk was the plea of the national labor bodies interested that no strikes be begun except at New Bedford and Lowell, and asking that all strength be concentrated on the former place. Lowell operatives held in abeyance a decision to strike, pledging their support to the other city. The strikes in the other places mentioned have to be officially sanctioned by the governing labor body.

WILL RETURN TO CANADA.

There is one feature of the labor troubles and cut downs which may manifest itself, and that is the return to their Canadian homes of hundreds of families who speak French who flock to the states in winter to secure employment. Following is an estimate of the number of operatives affected by the cut-down, but the actual result will scarcely be seen until the new schedule of wages is tried: Knight, Goddards & Chase mills in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, 20,000; Lowell mills, 16,000; Lewiston, 5,000; Fall River, 4,000; Biddeford and Sayer, 4,000; other Maine mills, 1,000; Nashua, 3,000; New Hampshire and other than Manchester and Nashua, 3,000; Worcester county, 5,000; Holyoke, 10,000; Vermont, 10,000; miscellaneous, 6,000.

AT NEW BEDFORD.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 17.—A shut down, the most complete in the history of the cotton mills of New Bedford, began this morning. Not a spindle was turning nor a loom in motion in the factories of the cloth corporations an hour after the usual time of begining work. Between forty and fifty operatives went into the Bristol mill, and twenty-five or thirty into the Whitman, but aside from these no mill made any show of running, and these two soon shut down. Nine corporations operating eighteen mills, in which upwards of 9,000 hands are employed, are involved in the strike. The cut-down is uniform all over the city, 10 per cent. The total pay roll of these corporations is estimated at $70,000 weekly.

OUT AT BIDDEFORD AND SACO.

BIDDEFORD, Maine, Jan. 17.—Every department of the Pepperell and Laconia mills in this city, and all the departments of the York mills, in Saco, with the exception of the carding and mule spinning rooms, shut down today as a result of the decision of the operators to resist a 10 per cent reduction in wages, which was to go into effect today. At the York mills in Saco, the weavers remained out and were followed by the slashers and ring spinners. The cut at these mills is said to average 12 per cent. There are 1,500 operatives and 51,201 spindles. The management of the mills refuse to say what their policy will be regarding the action of the operatives.

ANDROSCOGGIN OPERATIVES OUT.

LEWISTON, Me., Jan. 17.—The operatives of all the mills here, except those of the Androscoggin, went to work as usual today under a reduction in wages of from 10 to 11 1-9 per cent. At the Androscoggin mill only seven out of 400 weavers went to work. The reduction went into effect at the mills of the Continental and Androscoggin, Hill, Barker and Bates corporations, and and at the Lewiston Bleachery and Dye works. The total weekly pay roll of these companies has been $43,000, about 5,750 operatives are employed, and the number of spindles aggregate 279,000.

TROUBLE FEARED AT WOONSOCKET.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Jan. 17.—The 2,300 people employed in the Social, Globe and Nourse mills, of the Social Manufacturing company, and the Clinton mill, in this city, went to work at reduction of wages, averaging, it is stated at the offices of the mills, at about 10 per cent. Fears are felt that trouble may yet arise.

MINERS CONFER.

A Joint Convention of Operators and Employes Being Held.

Miners Demand Adoption of the "Gross Weight" System, Which Will Revolutionize the Wage Scale.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—A joint convention of coal miners and operators, representing the fields of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, was called to order by M. D. Ratchford, president of the United Mine workers at 10:30 today. Permanent organization was effected by the selection of W. H. Holcomb, of Chicago, and two secretaries, F. H. Brooks, of Ohio, and W. C. Pearce, of Chicago, the former representing the miners and the latter the operators. A committee on credentials was selected, consisting of one miner and one operator from each state. The selection of a committee on rules and regulations and order of business aroused considerable discussion, but was finally made up on the basis of one miner and two operators from each state, with equal voting powers. The convention then recessed until 2:30 o'clock, when the committees will report.

About 600 delegates are in attendance as a result of the recent Columbus convention of miners to adopt a scale of wages for 1898. That convention decided to meet the operators and discuss differences. The principal point at issue is the sweeping demand of the miners for the universal adoption of the "gross weight" system and the abandonment of "screens." Then the miners would be paid for "screenings" as well as lump coal. The change would revolutionize the wage scale and will be vigorously combatted by the operators. West Virginia operators have as yet been unrepresented in the convention.

QUIET AT HAVANA.

Advices From the Cuban Capital Develop Nothing Startling.

The Governor of Santa Clara Narrowly Escapes an Assassin's Bullet—Saved by General Aguirre.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The state department and Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister, both expressed the opinion today that the trouble at Havana has blown over. No advices under today's date had been received by either the department or the minister up to 11:30 o'clock today. Senor de Lome received two dispatches last night, the first saying that the day was passing quietly and the latter, apparently sent at a later hour, announcing that calm had prevailed during Sunday. The state department, after 9 o'clock, received a dispatch from Consul General Lee, saying simply, "All quiet." The lateness of the receipt of advices yesterday, the minister says, is due to the fact that the Havana cable office on Sundays does not open until 9 o'clock at night.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Senor De Lome, the Spanish minister, today received the following cablegram from the secretary general of Cuba:

"HAVANA, Jan. 17.—Yesterday during a game of ball at which was present the governor of Santa Clara, Maricos Garcia, a clerk of the hospital known as a drunkard, who had been discharged (his name is Picon), fired two shots at the governor which missed him, owing to having been diverted by General Aguirre, who was with the governor. The people made an ovation to both the governor and general.

"Eleven a. m., absolute tranquility. There is no fear it will be broken.

"(Signed) CONGOSTO."

OFFICE BUILDING BURNED.

Fire Causes a Heavy Loss This Morning at McKeesport.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 17.—The Yestor block, a large office building on Fifth avenue, McKeesport, Pa., was totally destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock this morning. The block was erected two years ago, at a cost of $100,000. The first floor was occupied by Yestor's jewelry store and the loss to the stock will reach $40,000. Bolell's gents' furnishing store will lose $10,000.

An early morning fire at Bridgeville, Pa., on the Panhandle railroad, about twelve miles south of here, destroyed six buildings and an immense lumber yard. The loss will probably reach $30,000.

The Woman's Reading club will meet with Miss Tracey Guild tomorrow afternoon. Miss Guild will present the subject.

SOLD IN MARRIAGE.

Arabian Peddler Said to Have Bought His Wife.

Alleged That Bride's Parents Received $1,000.

Telegram States That Marriage Took Place Here.

Peculiar Matrimonial Transaction in Which Joseph H. Marage and Miss Ivy Finney Figure.

The following dispatch from a Portland, Ind., correspondent, appears in the Chicago Chronicle:

"The neighborhood three miles east of Bryant is excited over the alleged selling of a girl in marriage.

"It appears that Joseph H. Marage, an Arabian peddler, has been making his headquarters for some time at the home of Joseph Finney. Finney has a young daughter, Ivy, whom, it is said, Marage was enamored of and wanted to make his wife. Just here, according to the stories being told, is where the strange part of the affair comes in. The parents of the girl are alleged to have hesitated until Marage offered a money consideration of $1,000, which is said to have been agreed to. Marage is credited with having paid $500 to Finney when the marriage license was issued, it being procured by Finney, and another $500 when the document was delivered to him.

"Mrs. Finney, Marage and Ivy Finney went to Fort Wayne, where the latter part of the transaction was consummated and the marriage ceremony performed, Mrs. Finney holding the license until the terms of the contract made were complied with.

"The story is current that the girl hesitated about being bound in such a compact, and it is alleged that Marage gave her $1,000 before the marriage ceremony was performed. Miss Finney was to have been married on New Year's day to Melvin Wheeler."

If the marriage ceremony detailed in the foregoing was performed in Fort Wayne no trace of the officiating authority can be found. None of the four justices of the peace solemnized the marriage and none of the ministers of the city, so far as THE SENTINEL has been able to ascertain, made Ivy Finney the bride of Joseph Marage.

MARRIAGE BY INJUNCTION.

Unusual Method Adopted to Prevent an Elopement.

KRIM, S. D., Jan. 17.—Marriage by injunction is the latest feature of South Dakota jurisprudence. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pruisner, well-to-do Russians near here, recently arranged to marry their daughter Lena to Nicholas Bataglea, a neighboring farmer. But Miss Pruisner loved another—Alexander Hellin, a worthy youth, who but for his poverty would have been as desirable a suitor as Bataglea in the eyes of Lena's parents.

From a faithless friend of Hellin's the Pruisners learned that the former intended to elope with their daughter on the eve of the wedding day. The aid of a neighboring justice of the peace was invoked, an injunction secured against the elopement, a copy of the writ served on Hellin and an officer stationed on the Pruisners' premises to arrest him should he presume to set the law at defiance. As was anticipated, he came despite the injunction, and was duly taken into custody and locked up.

Before he could secure a bond Lena was married to the man she did not love. Public sympathy is on Hellin's side and the justice of the peace may find himself in trouble for interfering in an affair of the kind.

A HOT CONTEST.

Results of Saturday's Democratic Primaries in Wells County.

BLUFFTON, Jan. 17.—One of the most hotly contested democratic primaries in the history of Wells county occurred Saturday. Friends of thirty-eight candidates for the various offices have been in active canvass for the last four weeks. The weather was very disagreeable, but the total vote cast will reach 3,200. The following were nominated, which is equivalent to an election:

Representative—W. H. Eichhorn.
Clerk—Hugh D. Studabaker.
Auditor—W. A. Marsh.
Recorder—John Miller.
Treasurer—William H. Rupright.
Sheriff—William Higgins.
Surveyor—A. A. Balson.
Coroner—W. W. McBride.
Assessor—John French.
Commissioners—R. C. Reynolds and A. J. Hafich.

The race for treasurer was exciting, there being nine candidates. Rupright defeated Amos King by only thirty-three votes.

BITTERNESS IN OHIO.

Frank DeHaas Robison Has Some Views and a Warning.

[Indianapolis Journal.]

Frank DeHaas Robison, president of the Cleveland base ball club, who is at the Grand, besides being a base ball magnate is also a politician in Ohio. He was an anti-Hanna man in the great senatorial fight, and says that the bitterness growing out of that contest has not been allayed by the denunciation of Mayor McKisson's friends as traitors by the senator elect. He says that those who were opposed to Mr. Hanna in the republican party are just as good republicans as can be found in the United States. "We were licked, and that should end it. The attempt to read the anti-Hanna men out of the party will, if continued, result disastrously."

FOREIGN NEWS.

France and Russia Protest Against Great Britain.

The Dreyfus Case Continues to Excite the Parisians—Terrible Colliery Disaster in Prussian Silesia.

PEKIN, Jan. 17.—The French and Russian ministers have protested against the conditions upon which (as outlined in an interview between Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister to China, and the Chinese foreign office on Saturday last) Great Britain is willing to assist China to liquidate the Japanese indemnity. Cheng Yang Wau has been appointed governor of Shan Tung.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—A semi-official note relative to the demand that the alleged confession of Alfred Dreyfus to M. Lebrun-Renaud should be published, says: "If the government conceded the demand it would bring under discussion and appear to place in doubt the authority of the Dreyfus decision. Moreover, the government does not consider it has the right to make such a communication, for reasons analogous to those which determined the court martial to try Dreyfus behind closed doors."

There was great excitement in the chamber of deputies today, when M. Cavaignac, republican, demanded a discussion of the semi-official note, issued today, in which the government declined to make public the alleged confession of Alfred Dreyfus to M. Lebrun-Renaud. The premier, M. Meline, in refusing to discuss the matter, declared that if the chamber voted its immediate discussion, the cabinet would resign. The house then by a vote of 310 to 252 adopted a motion shelving the discussion.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—A dispatch from Gleiwitz, Prussian Silesia, announces a terrible colliery disaster at Zaborze. The Koenigen Luiz colliery caught fire yesterday and of the fifteen men brought to the surface seven died. It is feared that twenty-five others, whose escape was cut off, have perished.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A special dispatch from Rome says there was a severe earthquake shock today at Argenta, eighteen miles southeast of Ferrara. A church and several buildings were wrecked and several persons were injured.

PRESIDENT DOLE.

Hawaii's Chief Executive Lands Upon America's Shores.

His Arrival Not Attended by Any Demonstration—Will Proceed at Once to Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—When President Dole, of Hawaii, landed from the steamship Peru this morning, he was not received with the ceremony befitting the ruler of a foreign country. The Peru arrived shortly after 8 o'clock last night and the quarantine regulations were not waived in favor of the visiting president, so he remained on board all night. When the steamer docked this morning President Dole was greeted by the Hawaiian consul and a few friends, but there was no representative of the United States government to formally welcome him. The customs officials passed the baggage of himself and family without inspection and that was all. Owing to the fact that the steamer came in after dark last night no salute was fired by any of the forts around the bay. That a different reception was anticipated is evident by the following letter from the Associated Press correspondent at Honolulu.

"HONOLULU, Jan. 9.—President Dole and his party will leave for Washington this evening by the steamship Peru. Mrs. Dole will accompany the party as far as San Francisco and will remain in that city until the return of the president. President Dole will remain two days in San Francisco, communicating with the Hawaiian legation at Washington; in the meantime, if the Hawaiian annexation question has not been settled by congress, the presidential party will proceed to the capital at once; if on the other hand the treaty has been passed or action on the same deferred indefinitely then it is more than probable that President Dole will not journey to Washington, but instead will take the first boat to Honolulu."

A. O. U. W. EVENT.

Progressive Pedro and Social at the Hall of No. 36 Tonight.

The third of the series of entertainments given at the hall of A. O. U. W. lodge No. 36, under the auspices and for the benefit of the First A. O. U. W. band will take place this evening. There will be progressive pedro and a general social time, at which everybody will be made to enjoy the occasion. These social events are proving quite popular and the attendance grows larger with each recurrence of the entertainment.

Don't forget the sale at Reuben S. Patterson's.

POLICY AGAIN.

Mayor Scherer Thinks It Is Being Played,

In Bold Defiance to His Recent Orders.

Police Ordered to Make Investigations.

Frank Irey's Case Settled This Morning By the Payment of a Fine—Notes in Police Circles.

This morning Frank Irey's fine for being in the business of operating policy was paid over to Mayor Scherer. The fine and costs amounted to $68.50. When the decision was made against Irey by a jury no appeal was made, as in former cases, but a stay was asked for and granted. The time of stay was ninety days, but this has not expired. A SENTINEL reporter this morning asked Mayor Scherer if he thought that policy was still being played in the city, to which he replied:

"I have heard that policy is being quietly played, and I have notified Superintendent Gorsline to make an investigation. If he finds that the game is still on he will make more arrests. Policy must be stopped."

POLICE NOTES.

For two nights no report of any kind has gone on the police records. It is very dull.

This morning Bud Arnold, Harry VanAlstine and "Dutch" Irwin, who are at the jail under bonds for petit larceny, were brought over to the rogues' gallery at the city hall and photographed by Miner. Their pictures will go in the superintendent's collection.

Emil Smith, clerk at the police station, was granted a leave of absence today so that he can complete an extensive addition to his poultry houses, of which he has several. Mr. Smith has built a number of additions lately, and if he keeps on it is only a matter of time when he will have the greatest system of chicken coops to be found in the country.

UNION MEETINGS.

Several Organizations to Meet Tonight.

A Union of Painters to Be Formed—Fruits of the Labor Revival Begin to Appear.

The work inaugurated by the Trades and Labor council two weeks ago looking to a revival of trade union sentiment in the city is bearing fruit. Two new organizations are already planted—the laundry workers and plasterers. The painters will be organized tonight. Many new members have been gathered into the carpenters, the machinists and the Working Women's Federal Labor union.

A good representation of horseshoers was present at the meeting yesterday afternoon at A. O. U. W. hall. G. R. Hench and D. F. Kennedy delivered short addresses, which were highly appreciated by this new union.

The Trades council desires the presence of every painter, both employers and journeymen, at the meeting tonight at A. O. U. W. hall, corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, at 7:30. D. F. Kennedy and others will be be present. All laundry workers in the city are invited to be at the meeting tonight, as it is desired to to make the charter membership as large as possible. This meeting will be in one of the small rooms at A. O. U. W. hall at 7:30. An effort is being made to unionize the Rothschilds' overall factory.

WILL BUILD.

Baptists Want a North Side Mission Property.

Committee Will Meet Tonight to Consider the Purchase of a Lot—Work to Be Done Next Summer.

The North Side Baptist Mission has met with such encouraging success that it has been thought advisable to purchase a lot and erect a new mission building next summer. With this end in view a committee will meet with the trustees of the First Baptist church tonight to present a plan for the acquirement of property and the erection of a building.

Ever since the mission was founded services have been held in a building on St. Mary's avenue. The congregation is outgrowing the accommodations, hence the action toward building.

ASHBY DROWNED.

A Capsized Boat Throws Him Into the Water.

Was Appointed United States Consul at Colon Only a Few Months Ago—German Consul Also Drowned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Consul General Gugdeon at Panama cabled the state department today announcing the drowning of William W. Ashby, United States consul at Colon. No details were given. Ashby was appointed to office only a few months ago, and has been well known in this city and Virginia as a newspaper man connected with Norfolk, Va., newspapers. A press dispatch stated that three others were drowned with him, but the state department's cable contains no reference to the other persons in the boat with him.

COLON, Colombia, via Galveston, Jan. 17.—A boating party, consisting of the United States consul, W. W. Ashby; Dr. Hafemann, the German consul; Mestor Mechanic Mott, and four others, are supposed to have been drowned. The body of the boatman has already been recovered.

FROM A LADDER.

John Dupoy Falls a Distance of Twenty-five Feet.

His Skull Fractured and His Death Will Most Likely Follow—Sad Accident at Coesse.

S. Hiler, of Coesse, Ind., was in the city today and brought the news of a frightful accident that befell John Dupoy, a well to do farmer of that section, who will likely die as a result of the misfortune. Mr. Dupoy was on a ladder, repairing the roof of the barn, when he lost his balance and fell backward to the ground. His head struck the earth and the skull was fractured. The man has been unconscious for forty-eight hours and no hopes are held out for his recovery. Mr. Dupoy has a large family.

THE COURTS.

The last will and testament of the late William F. Francies has been filed for probate. His personal property and real estate is devised to his wife and children. The wife is named as executrix.

Christian Schneider has qualified as administrator of the estate of Christian Schneider, sr., lately deceased.

In the superior court Joseph H. Moore has been given judgment for $49.90 against Henry W. Soest.

Milton P. Fort, a special officer from Plainfield, came to Fort Wayne today and returned with Edward Bailey to the reformatory for boys. Young Bailey had violated the terms of his parole.

The county commissioners were considering applications for liquor license today. But two were presented to the board.

In the circuit court Judge O'Rourke listened to claims presented against the Fort Wayne Consolidated Street railroad.

A superior court jury awarded Daniel Gorman a verdict against Sarah Jane Klutter in replevin proceedings and gave him $5 damages.

In the superior court the Keeley Brewing company was given judgment for $270.77 against John Wilkinson, et al., on notes.

LICENSED TO WED.

Frederick H. Winkler and Josephine Gerber.

Elsworth Snider and Alice A. Whitney.

Jerome J. Studer and Elizabeth Kelley.

Leonard C. Lohneke and Anna Beckes.

Walter S. Burkholder and Flora Wiggins.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Annie Eugene Habecker Succumbs to Congestion of the Lungs—Week's Deaths.

Annie Eugenia, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Habecker, of 127 Harrison street, died Sunday morning of congestion of the lungs, after long suffering. Her age was six years. The remains were removed to the residence of Elias Habecker, 61 Brackenridge street, from which place the funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

THE WEEK'S DEAD.

The undertakers have reported the following deaths for the week ending Saturday, January 15:

Henry Autrup, 6 years old, typhoid fever.

Edward Leach, 70 years old, general debility.

V. R. Hutchinson, 73 years old, erysipelas.

Louise Hattendorf, 19 years old, typhoid fever.

Carl Keller, 3 years old, accident.

Kate Jacoby, 58 years old, pneumonia.

John Carroll, 36 years old, consumption.

John Doudero, 6 years old, measles.

Rosa Bobay, 21 years old, consumption.

Ralph Gephardt, 3 years old, measles.

George W. Veim, 37 years old, consumption.

David S. Griffith, 49 years old, typhoid fever.

SPECIALS

For Tomorrow.

300 ladies' outing flannel night gowns, to close out, 35c; worth double.

250 gent's outing flannel gowns, to close, 41c, worth 75c.

Ladies' all wool flannel shirt waists, the latest styles and all shades, for 50c. This is much less than you can buy the material.

350 pair of ladies' muslin drawers for tomorrow, 17c a pair.

300 ladies' muslin corset covers, 9c.

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70 and 72 Calhoun St.

Mrs. Throckmorton, the wife of A. Throckmorton, of South Lafayette street, is sick and unable to leave the house.

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TONIGHT.

Union Veteran Legion—Regular meeting.
Ladies of the G. A. R.—O. W. Slirk circle.
Baptist Guards—Regular drill.
True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social hop.
Cigarmakers' Union — Regular meeting.
Lodges—Phoenix No. 101, K. of P.; Fort Wayne No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Ben Hur court No. 15; Ben Hur court No. 96.
A. O. U. W. Hall—Social and pedro party by the First A. O. U. W. band.
Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:
Monday — Louis Morrison in "Faust."
Tuesday—"Human Hearts."
Wednesday — "The American Girl."
Friday—"A Scrap of Paper."

MARK HANNA is not a very heroic hero, but he seems to answer his own purposes quite well.

GRADUALLY Tammany and Croker, who virtually is Tammany, are disclosing their purpose to control the democratic politics of the nation. It will not work in the west.

THE time seems not far distant when Spain will had the insurrection of the Cubans among the least of her troubles. That another uprising of the Carlists is being fomented is hardly to be doubted from the evidences at hand.

AN exchange, in discussing the tramp nuisance, declares that if the tramp is to be eliminated from our society he must be put to work. This suggestion is practical enough in the abstract, but it will not be found to work any better than the tramp will. One of the fatal incidents of the tramp question is the number of well-dressed vagrants from whom the common hobo gets his inspiration and his vindication.

AT last some good has come out of the meeting of Gen. William Booth, founder and head of the Salvation Army, and his estranged son, Gen. Ballington Booth, organizer and commander-in-chief of the Volunteers of America. Father and son have not been able to bridge the chasm that divides them, but they have agreed to do no more fighting in the newspapers—that is to say, no more than cannot be avoided.

IN court in Brooklyn the other day the plaintiff's lawyer in a suit for damages called the defendant's counselor, much to the latter's surprise, as a witness. But when the lawyer-witness, after his direct testimony, insisted upon cross examining himself, it was the plaintiff's attorney who was surprised and who ineffectually protested. This turning of tables was clever, and pleased everybody but the other side. The public significance lies in the hope that when lawyers begin to cross-examine themselves they will learn to treat other witnesses more gently.

CHICAGO statisticians are endeavoring to figure out the meaning of the decided falling off which has occurred during the last two years in the number of marriage licenses granted. By many this decrease is taken to mean that marriage is growing unpopular, but the returns from other sections of the country do not bear out this conclusion. Possibly there have been fewer marriages because the Chicago courts are growing less accommodating in the granting of divorces. When it is generally understood that the marriage tie is permanent and not temporary the clerk of the marriage license bureau will have more spare time on his hands.

THE friends of Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, are much gratified by the great favor with which that gentleman's candidacy for the democratic nomination for state treasurer is being received all over Indiana. Mr. Dougherty is a banker, but he was early in the fight for Bryan and free silver in 1896, and he rendered splendid service for his party. The value of his labors were shown when his county, Wells, gave an increased democratic majority in the last election. Mr. Dougherty presents strong claims to the consideration of the democratic party. He unites eminent fitness, high character and a record of valiant party service. He will be a strong rival who can outweigh him in any of these essential equipments of the candidate.

ALL the opposition to the currency "reform" plan proposed by the monetary commission does not come from "popocrats," "anarchists," "silverites," "Bryanites" and the foes generally of a "sound gold currency." As much opposition as the friends of the scheme can well take care of is developing in the ranks of the republican party. Hon. Frank W. Willis, editor of the Waterloo Press, and one of the republican leaders of northern Indiana, declares himself in unmistakable terms against the new banking scheme. He says: "The greatest objection to the old state bank currency was its tendency to become worthless in the hands of innocent holders. The same objection holds good, in a measure, against the recommendation of the Indianapolis monetary commission that the requirement of the government that bonds shall be deposited to secure national bank notes shall gradually be abolished, and the banks allowed to issue notes that shall be a first lien upon all their resources. If all men were honest and infallible in judgment, it might be advisable to make such a change, but proof that they are neither one nor the other is piling up every day. It would be foolish to abandon an absolutely safe method, one by which it is impossible for any national bank note holder to lose a dollar, for one that is far from safe."

TO THE DOCTORS.

Rev. J. S. Ainslie Preaches a Strong Sermon.

Gave Reasons Why Physicians Should be Christians—Many of the Medical Profession Present.

Last night Plymouth Congregational church was crowded, a large number of the physicians of the city, with their wives, being present to hear the sermon by Rev. J. Stuart Ainslie to the doctors, entitled, "The Struggle for Christian Character in a Physician's Life." He chose his text from II. Chron., xvi., 12:13, and after brief explanation, proceeded to welcome the doctors to the service. "Brethren of the medical profession, we often meet in the house of distress. The work of the doctor touches closely on the pastoral work of the minister, although it is not generally recognized. We join each other in an attempt at solace where the paroxysm of grief demands a medicine as well as a prayer. We are not strangers, but friends, often looking into each other's faces through the dusk as the night of death is falling in the sick room. But we meet tonight, not in the home of distress, but in the pleasant apartments of the house of God, and I want to preach a sermon of inspiration, helpfulness and good cheer.

"In our text King Asa is criticised because in his sickness he sought not the Lord. And what was wrong in Asa is wrong in every other man. You have no right to shut God out from the realm of pharmacy and therapeutics. 'In all thy ways acknowledge him and he shall direct thy paths.'"

Then the speaker traced briefly the honorable history of surgery and medicine, from Hippocrates, the Greek, down to Jenner, who fought successfully the plague of small pox, and to the discoveries of Simpson and Pasteur, and Sir Joseph Lister and Koch. The speaker showed how the medical profession had led in suggesting better methods of caring for the insane, in improving health and human longevity.

The second division of the sermon outlined some of the temptations that beset the physician's calling. From careful information which he had gleaned from honorable men of the profession, he showed how a young doctor may be offered large fees for performing some criminal operation; how there is a temptation to secure a patient at any cost, and how sometimes the charges for medical service seems to the laymen too high.

"But after all has been said," continued the preacher, "I gladly pay my tribute to the heroism and patience and efficiency of the average doctor in the community. There are few equals to the practitioner who sacrifices so much for the relief of suffering humanity, who goes at the calls of what he knows will be unpaid labor, and who does his best for rich and poor alike."

The last division of the sermon gave several reasons why all physicians should be Christians, men of reverence, men of consecration and men of prayer. The sermon sparkled with humorous and graphic illustrations, and for forty minutes held the closest attention of the large audience.

The selection by the new quartet and the solos by Mrs. Plummer were excellent and appreciated by all.

Next Sunday evening the three lodges of the A. O. U. W. in the city are to attend services at Plymouth church, a part of which will be of a memorial character.

The Hibernian Rifles were photographed yesterday afternoon.

TICKET FORGERY.

Missouri Crooks Engage in a Big Business.

Their Peculations Cover a Period of Many Years and Involve Many Hundreds of Dollars.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 17.—A long series of railroad ticket forgeries has come to light here which is believed to have been carried on a number of years. The alleged forged tickets were over the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road and connecting line. A warrant has been issued here for the arrest of August E. Ambs, of St. Louis, who until two years ago was engaged in the ticket scalping business in this city. The fraudulent tickets were sold during the time of Walter Young as city ticket agent of the Santa Fe in this city. Young committed suicide nearly four years ago and left nothing to explain the deed. It is thought he may have known something about the forged tickets. After Ambs became financially embarrassed he deposited the tickets in the National bank of St. Joseph. He was unable to redeem them and they were placed on sale by another broker. The sale of the tickets was very slow and that is the reason that the fraud has been so long in being discovered. The value of the mileage represented by the tickets runs up into the thousands, although it is not known how many of them were disposed of. Ambs has been arrested.

AT THE HOTELS.

Partial List of Guests at the Different City Hotels.

James McCormick, Bluffton; G. V. Ball, Huntington; M. Clinton and wife, South Whitley; C. B. Mathers, Lafayette; D. N. Chamberlain, Sioux Falls; J. B. Drago, Toledo; N. N. Latimer, Montone; M. C. Coulter, Bucyrus; T. M. Palmer, Battle Creek; A. A. Moorhaus, C. A. Doering, Cincinnati; J. F. Byers, Philadelphia; J. S. Wilkins, St. Louis; J. J. Schneider, Sheboygan; L. A. Snyder, Springfield.

Wayne—W. B. Morris, Philadelphia; C. B. Crandall, C. C. McDowell; Chicago; M. Slusser, H. Y. Coffey, New York; P. Van Bieler and wife, Huntington; H. C. Richie, Louisville; George W. Emery, Pittsburg; Wm. B. Davis, Boston; C. H. Day, Cleveland; Joe Dillenbery, Baltimore.

New Aveline—T. F. Marvin, Newark, Ohio; M. E. Kiplinger, Canton, Ohio; J. P. Shaffer, W. E. Salisbury, Toledo; W. F. Garrettson, Detroit; J. H. Schug, Richmond; C. H. Carpenter, St. Louis; James Mills, Cincinnati; A. A. Taylor and wife, Chicago; A. Glass, Columbus, Ohio.

Rich—J. G. Ray, Warren, Ind.; Wm. Wiley, W. B. Bennett, Grand Rapids; J. W. Biddle, Dr. Martin, Toledo; H. A. Hathaway, W. W. Williams, C. H. Morgan, Chicago; J. A. Morrell, Lagrange; Monroe Doctor, Muncie, Ind.; W. H. Strayer, North Manchester.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Fulton county claims the poet, Joaquin Miller, as a former citizen.

The W. C. T. U. of Wabash will make an effort to have the city council pass a curfew ordinance.

Amos Sines, one of the pioneer citizens of Whitley county, is dead, at the age of seventy-nine years.

Walter Loveday, aged five, was shot in the face with a toy air gun in the hands of Leon Leslie, aged nine, at Warsaw Saturday.

Bluffton citizens are agitating the question of a new opera house and there is hope that capitalists may be interested in the project.

Up to date $670 has been subscribed for drilling an oil well in Ossian. The Fort Wayne Gas company has taken $100 worth of stock.

The experimental oil well at Huntington was completed by drilling into salt water. There is much disappointment among the stockholders.

Dr. A. C. Mendenhall, who was arrested in Kosciusko county a few weeks since while calling upon a young lady, has been convicted of bigamy at Jackson, Mich.

The sportsmen of Huntington county will hold a meeting at Huntington on the 19th inst., to discuss the feasibility of stocking farms in that county with the Chinese pheasant.

The Sutherlin murder trial will begin at Plymouth next week. This will be the second trial of Sutherlin for the murder of Ed Fetters. He was given a life sentence, but the supreme court set the verdict aside.

Samuel Evans, a Decatur young man who spent an inheritance of $10,000 in thirty days, then forged a note for $100 on his guardian, D. D. Studebaker, for which he was sent to the pen, has been paroled by the governor. His health is broken.

Jonathan Montgomery, died at Rochester, Saturday, at the age of ninety-seven. He had been a resident of Fulton county since 1860. He was a forty-niner in the California gold excitement and became wealthy. He attributed his long life to temperate habits.

Joseph Cruk and Jesse Mason, brothers-in-law, and influential men living near Montpelier, came to blows over money matters. Cruk assaulted Mason, breaking one rib, cutting a severe gash over his right eye and probably inflicting internal injuries. Cruk could not be found by the police.

A party of seven Albion men will leave in a few days for the Klondike gold fields. Friday they sent to Seattle a car load of supplies and the party will start in time to reach the seaport by the time their freight car arrives. The supplies include everything needed for an eighteen months' sojourn in Alaska excepting flour, and were purchased through an Albion merchant. The members of the party are: Homer Riddle, Daniel Windbramer, John Hoffman, Gustave Hamm, Curt Simon, John Yeager and Fred Kimble.

AN OPEN LETTER

From Miss Sachner, of Columbus, O., to Ailing Women.

To all women who are ill:—It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit I have derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I can hardly find words to express my gratitude for the boon given to suffering women in that excellent remedy. Before taking the Compound I was thin, sallow and nervous. I was troubled with leucorrhœa, and my menstrual periods were very irregular. I tried three physicians and gradually grew worse. About a year ago I was advised by a friend to try Mrs. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and Vegetable Compound, which I did. After using three bottles of the Vegetable Compound and one package of Sanative Wash, I am now enjoying better health than I ever did, and attribute the same to your wonderful remedies. I cannot find words to express what a Godsend they have been to me.

Whenever I begin to feel nervous and ill, I know I have a never-failing physician at hand. It would afford me pleasure to know that my words had directed some suffering sister to health and strength through those most excellent remedies.—MISS MAY SACHNER, 313½ E. Rich St., Columbus, O.

Johnson Brownlee, one of the oldest and best-known citizens of Plymouth, died suddenly Saturday morning while seated in a chair at his home. He was one of the early recorders of Marshall county and bore the distinction of being the oldest Masonic secretary in the United States. For years he had been acting as tax collector. He was seventy-eight years old.

ON ANNEXATION.

The Addition of South Wayne Territory Considered.

Councilmen and Board of Works Will Go Over the Ground—The District Under Consideration.

There has been some talk of annexing to the city the district between Hoagland avenue and Hanna street, in order that the property owners in that locality will come in for a share of the expense attached to building the South Wayne sewer.

This morning Mr. Eggeman, of the board of works, said that Councilmen Glenn and McMahon were contemplating a trip over the ground and that members of the board will accompany them. The territory under consideration is extensive and when the new sewer is built will have drainage into it. Under the circumstances it appears proper that the people owning property there be assessed with others. The matter will come up before the council in the near future.

TIPPECANOE MINSTRELS.

Great Show at the Temple on January 28th—Members of the Company.

On the evening of the 28th inst., the flag on the city building will be placed at half-mast, the bells will toll their solemn chimes and the police force will be increased to see that everybody feels sorry. The Tippecanoe club on that evening will give a minstrel performance at the Masonic Temple. When the expected large audience is seated the doors will be locked and there will be no escape from the scene of the struggle which, which for two hours and a half will be carried on by the actors. Jennison & William's orchestra is rehearsing several dirges for the occasion which will be played after some of the heaviest jokes are exploded. Those who will take part in the olio are as follows:

End Men, Bones—Art Dougall, W. W. Bogart, Otto Hild, George Kiel.

Tambos—F. E. Coley, Amos Richey, C. P. Planck, John W. Anderson.

Interlocutor—L. A. Worch.

Double Quartet—Clint Wilson, Tom Snook, Victor Russell, Ferd Urbahns, Arch Bradley, Walter Gerberding, Cornelius Smith, Will McKay.

Chorus of twenty-five. Director, Prof. R. Thomas.

Orchestra—Jennison & Williams.

Stage Manager—F. C. Buck.

There will be a number of specialty sketches, athletic features and other squibs of entertainment before the appearance of the Dougall brothers, in a sketch entitled "In Gay Fort Wayne." The performance will conclude with a thrilling drama, entitled "A Morning at the City Hall." The cast of characters will be as follows:

Written especially for this performance.

ROLE OF CHARACTERS.

Scene—Police Court. Time—Any Day at 9:30 a. m.

Mayor Sissors .... W. W. McKay
Prosecuting Attorney Dough Nut .... John Dougall
Lieut. Sauph .... J. A. Anderson
Supt. Clothes-Line .... A. Rickey
Officer Scotty .... Otto Meyers
Officer Spillmore .... Frank Cutshall
Officer Romen .... Clint Wilson
Officer Silverine .... Elmer Hulse
Officer Dull .... Bradley
Janitor De Yell .... Otto Hild
Klondike Charles, "seen better days" .... W. W. Bogart
Ludwig Von Winkle-Stein-Heron-Blazer, a Wandering Minstrel .... W. Kaiser
Aron Doolittle, an Anarchist .... Art Dougall
Hezekiah, a Whistling Coon, Jeremiah, a Chicken Thief .... F. E. Coley
Brother Johnsing, another Chicken Thief .... L. A. Worch
Patrol horses, office rat and detectives, handcuffs, hangers-on, etc., etc.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Subscribe for THE SENTINEL.

DID NOT ASK FULL PARDON.

Former President Cleveland on His Petition for W. D. Worden.

PRINCETON, N. J., 17.—Former President Cleveland says regarding his letter to Governor Budd, of California, in which he asked executive clemency for Walter D. Worden, sentenced to hang for train wreck ing:

"There is little to say about the Worden case. I know the history of the case very well, know what the man was and the position and standing of his family. I think the man should be punished for his crime, but not by hanging. I did not ask the governor of California for a complete pardon for Worden, but only for a commutation of his sentence.

"I think a life sentence in the penitentiary would suffice for his crime. That is about all. I might tell the whole matter connected with the case but that would be of little good. I have not received a reply as yet from Governor Budd."

WARNED AGAINST NORDHAM

Fight Against the New Commander-in-Chief of the Catholic Knights.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 17.—Indiana uniform rank, Knights of America commanderies, today received official instructions from Commander-in-Chief Kudeski in which he warns the officers against recognizing J. W. Nordham, of Vincennes, as commander-in-chief, holding that the gathering in Mobile last week, at which Nordham was elected, was irregular and illegal and that forgery was used in the proceedings.

The matter will be taken into the courts or the pope will be asked to interfere. The order now numbers nearly 20,000 members, and is the recognized military body of the Catholic church in America. It is likely that the fight will split the organization.

TO TAX LIFE INSURANCE.

Governor Mount Wants to Assess Policies Having a Surrender Value.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 17.—Governor Mount, upon whose suggestion the board of tax commissioners acted when it directed that township assessors list life insurance policies, says he will give the subject prominence in his message to the legislature and will ask that the law be amended so as to state specifically that policies shall be taxed.

The governor says as a rule men do not carry life insurance with the view of providing against poverty; they carry it as an investment.

Under the decision of the majority of the supreme court a life insurance policy that has a cash surrender value is "property," and the governor says there is no valid reason why it should not be taxed.

NO MAILS SINCE AUGUST.

People at Dawson City Think Their Governments Have Forgotten Them.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—Dawson City has received no regular mails since last August. Both American and Canadian miners there believe their respective governments have forgotten them so far as mail facilities are concerned. Many of the miners have paid $1 per letter at Dawson to have mail brought out to relatives and friends. Generally this has been carried through to the sound cities, though one or two parties report some of this mail was discarded by the carriers and is to be found scattered along the upper Yukon and lakes.

WITNESSES GONE.

Case Against Indiana White Caps May Fail for Lack of Them.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 17.—The trial of the nine men indicted for white capping, set for today, promises to be one of the most sensational in the history of southern Indiana. A report is just received that the white caps have induced Milton Southers and his family to leave the state, as they cannot be found. They were the victims of the outrage, and if the report is true the cases will probably have to be dismissed for lack of evidence.

SENT TO COLUMBUS.

Remains of Albert C. Greenleaf, Who Suicided in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The remains of Albert C. Greenleaf, who jumped from the sixteenth floor of the Masonic temple Saturday have been sent to Columbus, Ohio, for burial. H. C. Bancroft, of the firm of Bancroft and Sheldon, dry goods merchants of Columbus, who was a brother-in-law of Greenleaf, accompanied the remains to Ohio.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17.—Pensions have been granted to the following Indianians:

Original—Milton H. Snyder, National Military Home, Grant; Chas. J. Many, Indianapolis; Benjamin F. Burges, Clinton.

Additional—David M. Dove, Irvington.

Mexican War Widows—Catherine Huckemeier, Richmond.

Reissue—James M. Watkins, New Albany; William J. Byers, Shoal.

Original Widows, Etc.—Margaret Black, Selma; minor of Dallas Lawson, Lapel; minor of Charles W. Holmes, Farmersville; minor of Joseph Wisemiller, Indianapolis; minor of Andrew J. Wells, sr., Muncie; Mary F. Harris, Jeffersonville.

It Will Surprise You.

In order to prove the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most effective cure for Catarrh and Cold in Head, your druggist will supply a generous 10 cent trial size or we will mail for 10 cents. Full size 50 cts. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio.

Father of Miss Cisneros Arrives.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Among the passengers who arrived today on board the Ward line steamer Saratoga from Havana was Augustin Cessio, the father of Angelina Cossio y Cisneros. Cossio was taken out by General Blanco on Sunday, January 9.

BOY MURDERER'S VICTIMS.

Fifteen-Year-Old Child Kills One Playmate, While Second Escapes.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 17.—The body of the five-year-old Percy Lockyar, who is believed to have been murdered on Friday night last by fifteen-year old Samuel Henderson, was found in the bottom of "Bakko" creek.

The body was weighted by two heavy stones, one about his neck and the other around his ankles. His skull was crushed in and there was a knife thrust just above the heart, and similar wounds on his breast, side and forehead, while on one side of his face was a long cut extending from below the eye to the chin.

Henderson, who is under arrest, does not seem to realize the enormity of his crime. He admitted a knowledge of the knife thrust, but said it was due to the child accidentally running against an open knife. Henderson became alarmed at this and said he threw the boy into the creek.

When shown the mutilated body of the child, he admitted that he was responsible for the cuts, but he still persisted that it was an accident.

The police assert that Henderson accompanied Lockyar and Willie Addison, aged seven years, to the woods, as he told yesterday, but instead of any accident happening to either Henderson tied both children to a tree. Addison broke away and ran home. It was then, it is said, that young Lockyer's death was accomplished.

DORA CLAY GOES HOME.

Receives an Affectionate Welcome From Her Aged Husband.

VALLEY VIEW, Ky., Jan. 17.—Dora Richardson Clay, bespattered with mud, her hair disheveled and scarcely able to stand, arrived at Whitehall at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She was met at the yard gate by Jim Littrell, who let her in.

Littrell says the old man held his wife in close embrace for several minutes and then led her into the house. He thinks General Clay will not allow Dora to leave Whitehall again, and intimated that the general would re-enforce the guard with four or five more men who could be depended upon to shoot any intruder.

Littrell says the general will prosecute Clell Richardson to the full extent of the law for shooting at Dora.

EARLY MORNING FIRE.

Several Large Firms in Chicago Sustain Heavy Losses.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Eight firms, with stocks aggregating half a million dollars sustained heavy losses by fire that broke out at 6:30 o'clock this morning in the building at the northwest corner of Market and Quincy streets. They are: L. C. Wachsmuth & Co., clothing, loss mostly by water; Adams Bros., dry goods, loss complete; Taylor & Parrette, wholesale dealers in hats, loss by water; Worcester Corset Co., loss complete; Fred Kauffman & Co., tailors, loss complete; Skinner Bros., dealers in woolen goods, loss complete; Nickerson & Co., dry goods, loss complete; Cluett, Coon & Co., collars and cuffs, damage by fire and water.

ILLUSION DISPELLED.

The Great Fair Estate Dwindles from $40,000,000 to $12,000,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The Chronicle says:

A popular illusion will be rudely dispelled today when the appraisement and inventory of the estate of the late Senator James G. Fair are filed with the superior court. Instead of $10,000,000 at which it has been estimated, its value will be shown by itemized figures to be $12,228,998.67. The figures are the result of eleven months of examination and research on the part of the appraisers, R. V. Dey, G. L. Brosso and A. E. Leigh, all men acquainted with realty values and more or less familiar with the many enterprises in which Fair was engaged at the time of his demise.

CRAZY OVER RELIGION.

Indiana Farmer Imagines Himself a Devil and Seeks to Murder.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Jan. 17.—Nathan B. Davis, a farmer near this city, has gone raving mad over religion and imagines he is the devil. He is of a large, muscular build, and it is almost impossible to keep him from killing himself and everybody he sees.

Last night he broke his bindings and severely injured two of the seven attendants before he was subdued.

Davis attended a revival meeting at the Sandcreek Quaker church which lasted all day and all night constantly for a week.

MAY GET WELL.

Mrs. Lucille Lane, Who Shot Herself in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Lucille Lane, daughter of Ex-Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky, who shot herself late Saturday night passed a very comfortable night and seemed to be improving this morning. No operation has been performed as yet to locate the bullet and ascertain the course it took. There is yet some doubt whether the shooting was accidental or an attempt to commit suicide.

Wants Another Go With Walcott.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—George Green, the pugilist, is out with a challenge for another match with Joe Walcott, at catch weights and the largest purse offered. He stipulates that the winner of the match shall challenge McCoy for the middle weight championship.

Mothers, Be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. May8od&w

IRRIGATION RESERVOIRS.

The Outlet and Its Valve or Gate—A Simple but Efficient Gate.

Where storm waters are employed the construction of the reservoir if of considerable size should be under the supervision of an engineer. In his paper on irrigation of the great plains Fred H. Newell gives valuable suggestions concerning the construction of reservoirs, including the following concerning the outlet. He says:

In building the walls one of the first things to consider is the outlet. This should be placed in such a position that the water will be delivered conveniently to the ditches, and its position should be so low that it will completely empty the reservoir. This outlet should be provided with a valve or gate on the inner side, so arranged that it is accessible

SECTION OF RESERVOIR BANK.

at all times. It is usual to construct this outlet of boards or plank in the form of a long box from 3 to 18 inches in width and height. For permanence it might be better to use a metal pipe, but it is probable that the wooden outlet will serve for a sufficient number of years.

Having placed the outlet box or pipe in proper position, great care must be taken in building the wall at this particular place to secure a tight joint. Clay should be carefully tamped around and under the box, and as an additional precaution it is well to provide the box with wings or ribs projecting outward into the earth bank and preventing the percolation of water along the contact plane between earth and the wood or metal. The gate on the inside end of the outlet may be of any one of a great variety of forms, from a simple board placed securely against the end to the expensive metal valve used for city purposes.

One of the simplest and most efficient gates in use consists of a broad plank covering the end of the box, which is cut off in such a position as to slope diagonally upward and toward the bank. The place of contact between the end of the box and plank covering it is lined with leather or some similar substance, insuring a tight joint. The plank covering is hinged on the upper side and is extended diagonally upward by a stout bar. When this is grasped and pulled toward the bank, the valve is opened against the pressure of the water, and when the bar is released it is automatically closed. In the cut here presented is illustrated a section of reservoir bank showing the outlet.

A Big Corn Crop.

This is how I raised 150 bushels of corn to the acre: In April I put ten loads of stable manure per acre on ten acres of clover and timothy sod mixed. The last week of April I broke this ground, plowing eight inches deep. I rolled it down after the plow and then worked it once with the rotary hoe instead of disk harrow. I then harrowed twice with ordinary smoothing harrow and rolled down. I planted May 11 and 12, checking 3 feet 8 inches each way. No commercial fertilizer of any kind was used on this corn. As soon as this corn came up I cultivated once each way with the rotary hoe. I then cultivated once each way with cultivator with large shovels on, plowing shallow and keeping ground as level as possible. The ground was ordinary white oak soil and had been in grass for four years, being mowed for hay each year. The variety was the Mastodon, a large eared yellow dent, ripening in 105 to 110 days. It was planted three stalks to the hill. The entire field of ten acres will make 150 bushels to the acre.—Cor. Farmers' Review.

Marketing Honey.

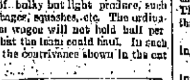
At a German bee convention a large dealer of Berlin advised that beekeepers should dispense as far as possible with the services of middlemen, dealing directly with the consumer, sell to customers at home, at the market of the next town and in groceries. For retail small glasses are preferable holding one-third, one-half, two-thirds and one pound each, with elegant labels.

Marketing Parsnips.

The demand for parsnips is best in winter, and in the southern states they are allowed to remain in the ground until wanted, while in the northern states they are dug late in fall and stored in trenches. They are shipped in small ventilated barrels, the tops having been removed and the roots washed when necessary.

Increasing the Wagon's Capacity.

It is frequently desired to haul to market or from the garden or field a load of bulky but light produce, such as cabbages, squashes, etc. The ordinary farm wagon will not hold half perhaps that the team could haul. In such a case the contrivance shown in the cut



A CONVENIENT ARRANGEMENT.

here reproduced from American Gardening will be found very useful. It is a strong but light frame made of a size and shape to set into the body of the farm wagon, occupying the whole space. The back can be arranged to let down on hinges if desired for convenience in unloading.

RECLAIMING DESERTS.

Uncle Sam to Search For Trees Adapted to Arid Regions.

"A systematic canvass of the world will be made in the next four years to determine what tree or trees can best be made to grow in our arid and subarid regions," said Professor B. E. Fernow, chief of the division of forestry of the agricultural department to a representative of the Boston Transcript. Following are other statements made by the professor and of interest to dwellers in arid and subarid localities:

In the arid regions of our country the number of species that can be grown is very limited, and it is entirely possible that a study of the other arid regions of the world will produce something better than we now have. Our agents will make a special study of climatic conditions in the dry regions, here and abroad, for experience has proved, what was long a matter of theory, that seeds do not flourish in a latitude greatly different from that in which they were grown, even though the species to which they belong might flourish over a much wider area. At Grand Rapids last year we made an experiment with box elder grown from seeds collected in various parts of the country. After the first frost the elder from the seed grown in Oklahoma was frost killed while a tree of the same species grown from an Ontario seed was in a very healthy condition. After gathering the necessary information as to comparative climates we shall collect the plant material in special stations under the control of the department. At first we may co-operate with the existing state experiment stations, but that will not suffice, because these stations are naturally located in specially selected soils, and so the most untoward conditions are not met there.

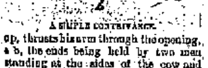
From our present knowledge there is no tree better for the subarid regions of Texas and the southwest than the mesquite. It provides shelter from the wind, furnishes fairly good firewood, and its pods are capable of being used as food for domestic animals. For the semiarid region a little farther north the cottonwood tree is about as good as anything we now have. It makes poor firewood and is a miserable tree, but may be better than nothing.

The Canadian experiment station has introduced from Russia or succeeded in reproducing an apple tree suitable for the more northern dry regions. The apple is small and poor, but is heartily appreciated where it can be made to grow. This suggests an interesting distinction. There are weeds among trees, just as much as among plants. In fact, what is a weed but a plant, the use of which has not been found out? When we find that the sunflower can be used for making oil, it then ceases to be a weed. Among trees the aspen is a weed. So are some black oaks, which do not grow to a useful size, and scrub pines. But the whole matter is relative. The mesquite would be a weed where more serviceable trees could be grown.

The effect of trees in a dry region upon the atmospheric moisture is a somewhat disputed question. While they diminish evaporation from the soil by furnishing a shade and a windbreak, the transpiration must be taken into account on the other side. The roots of a tree are drawing the water from a great depth and giving it out to the atmosphere through the leaves, and yet here again this cannot help making the atmosphere more moist. But the main thing in the dry regions is to keep the soil granular, so the water can percolate it instead of running off into the rivers when any rain does fall. As soon as people begin to plow land I believe there is an increase of moisture, although this point is disputed. It is apparent that there are now dews in places where there were none formerly, and, although the change in climate will naturally be small and exceedingly slow in coming about, I believe some conquest of the arid regions is being made.

Relieving Choked Cattle.

When the apple or potato has not gone down far, it may be pulled up by running one's arm down and grasping it. The accompanying simple contrivance, originally illustrated and described by Country Gentleman, keeps the animal's mouth open and prevents biting, while the operator, with his coat off and sleeve



A SIMPLE CONTRIVANCE.

up, thrusts his arm through the opening, a b, the ends being held by two men standing at the sides of the cow and holding firmly. A smart boy is best, as his arm is smaller. The two boards are hard wood, half an inch thick, shaved smooth, and the blocks, c c, are just large enough to allow the arm to pass, to which the boards are firmly screwed.

Here and There.

The business of raising and feeding sheep in the west is booming this year. There is, it is said, more money in it than there has been for four years.

Sheep and wool are said to be booming in Ohio.

The rush for cattle and sheep for feeding purposes at the Chicago, Kansas City and South Omaha yards is great.

E. F. Atkins, in The Forum, places the production of beet sugar for the world in the year 1896-7 at 4,901,000 tons, of which the United States produced 40,000 tons, against a total of 2,846,000 tons of cane sugar, of which the United States produced 275,000 tons.

Complaints are reaching the Ohio experiment station regarding the appearance of insects in clover seed in such numbers as to occasion much concern among farmers.

The consumption of mutton is increasing rapidly.

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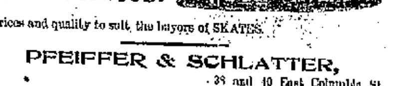

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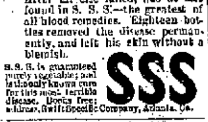

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RAILWAY AFFAIRS.

The Pennsylvania Still Leads in East Bound Shipments.

Accidents, Incidents and Personal Mention of the Industrial Centers as Gathered by Reporters.

Eastbound shipments of freight out of Chicago last week amounted to 95,695 tons, a decrease of 46,228 tons from the shipments of the previous week. The business was divided among the different railroads as follows: Michigan Central, 3,361 tons; Wabash, 6,638; Lake Shore, 11,516; Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago, 21,696; Panhandle, 11,933; Baltimore and Ohio, 7,158; Grand Trunk, 16,750; Nickel Plate, 5,693; Erie, 9,277; Big Four, 2,575.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

P. Poiry, of the Pittsburg tank shop, is off duty.

John Fraine, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, is off duty.

Last week the Pullman Palace Car company placed an order for 6,000,000 feet of pine lumber.

C. Bender and C. Thiebold, of the Pittsburg lumber yard, are off duty today, presumably on account of sickness.

The Pennsylvania has just put in operation at its shops in Altoona some electric cranes which will lift sixty tons.

Dave Simon, a clerk in Shop Clerk Meegan's office, is sick and has been removed from his rooms to the hospital.

The Anthony Wayne works have increased the number of hours of work to nine on account of the demand for washers.

Frank Deck, of the Pittsburg copper shop, returned to work this morning after several days' absence on account of an injured eye.

The Ohio Falls car works, at Jeffersonville, Ind., have 1,200 men employed and contracts that will keep them busy the entire winter.

Both Pennsylvania accommodation trains left the depot this morning with newly repainted coaches having the appearance of new trains.

T. Batchelder, of the car department of the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off duty, and W. Krudop, of the lumber yard, is also absent for the same cause.

H. Zollinger, carpenter at the Pittsburg shops, is off duty today.

The Electric corporation shipped a 125-light arc machine to Goshen, Ind., Saturday.

J. W. Menoth, foreman of locomotive repairs at the Pennsylvania company's shops at Wellsville, Ohio, is in the city.

John Nolan, the veteran Pittsburg machinist, returned to work this morning, after several days' absence on account of sickness.

Eva, the daughter of William Donnell, a machinist in the polishing room at the electric works, is recovering from a severe sickness.

Cheney Knight and Bert Olds, of the Electric corporation, are today engaged in installing a motor in the works of the Artificial Ice company.

John Norris, of the West Philadelphia shops of the Pennsylvania railroad, is a guest of Dan Petgen, foreman of the Pittsburg copper shop.

Henry Dornts, a carpenter at the electric works was initiated into the mysteries of masonry Friday evening at the meeting of Summit City lodge.

A new "air gun" was tested today in the Pittsburg machine shop. The "gun" is a compressed air machine used for driving bolts out of engine frames.

The family of David Matthews, the Grand Rapids railroad passenger conductor, are recovering from diphtheria. They reside at Grand Rapids.

Dr. E. F. Wagner, medical examiner, for the Voluntary Relief department of the Pennsylvania company, left today on No. 20 for Cleveland.

Charles W. Cross, foreman of the repair department of the Pennsylvania shops at Allegheny, is in the city and paid a visit to the Pittsburg shops this morning.

On April 1 the Pullman Palace Car company will withdraw from the New York, Ontario and Western and the Wagner Palace Car company will operate on that line.

W. S. Parry, formerly bill clerk at the Wabash freight office in this city, has accepted a position in the office of Superintendent Gould, at Peru, and assumed his duties today.

A. T. Campbell, who has charge of the freight elevator at the electric works, returned to work this morning after an absence of a week or ten days on account of sickness.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana pay car arrived in the city today. The Electric corporation will pay Thursday and the Nickel Plate road will disburse the wages its employes on Friday.

Train Dispatcher H. O. Wilson, of the Nickel Plate, is off duty for several days to visit relatives. Upon his return to his duties Train Dispatcher Urbahns will take a leave of absence.

The auditing department of the Grand Trunk road will be removed from Detroit to Montreal. General Manager Hays desires to centralize the chief offices of the company at that point.

The Nickel Plate has put in a new and large switch board in its telegraph office on Calhoun street. The company recently enlarged and improved its telegraph system from Buffalo to Chicago.

Frank Rich, formerly of this city, but now a bookkeeper at Lima, O., for Swift & Co., the Chicago meat packers, will be one of a party of Elks from that Buckeye town to witness the initiation of the large class into the local lodge of Elks tomorrow.

Next Sunday the Pennsylvania company will abandon its passenger terminal at the foot of Elm street, in Toledo, and its trains will then run into the union depot. The company will, also on that date, establish a more thorough passenger service between Pittsburg and Detroit, by way of Toledo.

The receivers of the Baltimore and Ohio have leased a number of coal cars from John Sheridan, of Allegheny, Md. They are to be paid for by mileage at the rate of six mills per mile, and when the mileage payment equals the cost of the cars they become the property of the Baltimore and Ohio.

George Swearingen and Clarence Haynes, of the Pittsburg shop clerk's office, will be initiated into the order of Elks tomorrow. The initiation will begin at 12:30 o'clock and they expect to be through at 8 p. m. The shop clerk has arranged business so as to get along with a diminished force of assistants for several days.

Captain Stoll's detectives succeeded in capturing some brass thieves who had been causing the Pennsylvania and the Nickel Plate companies much trouble at Grand Crossing. Two of the thieves were caught in the act of driving away with a cart half filled with car brasses. One of the fellows started to run away, but a bullet from Detective Cox's revolver overhauled him. He was wounded in the leg, but not seriously.

Liner Paris Overhauled.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The American line steamer Paris arrived here today from Newport News, wither she had gone to be overhauled. The Paris will resume her place in the New York-Southampton service on January 19.

OFFICERS TO MEET.

Important Meeting of Telephone Men This Week.

State Association to Have an Annual Gathering at Indianapolis Next Wednesday—Home Company In It.

The independent companies of the state have multiplied at a prodigious rate since the organization of the Home Telephone company, in this city. At the time of organization there was reason to be in some dread of the American Bell Telephone company, with its uncounted millions of capital and its numberless patents intended to cover every part of the 'phone. But the infant has grown and the meeting of the Indiana Mutual Telephone association at Indianapolis next Wednesday, to which the local company here will send representatives, includes thirty-five large and thriving exchanges, bound together for mutual profit, advantage and protection. These exchanges, with the number of telephones operated by each, are as follows:

Bedford, 80; Bluffton, 515; Bloomington, 180; Citizens, of Columbus, 197; Fountain, of Covington, 100; Frazee, of Connersville, 143; Home, of Crawfordsville, 283; Darlington, 61; Elkhart, 307; Home, of Fort Wayne, 1,200; Greencastle, 120; Hartford City, 100; Dubois county, of Jasper, Knightstown, 112; Lafayette, 500; Lafayette Toll Line company; Johnson Brothers, of Lagrange, 120; Lebanon, 131; Ladoga; Crawford county, of Leavenworth; Mitchell, 10; Merchants' Mutual, of Michigan City, 210; The Montpelier, 100; Madison, 200; The Kurtz, of Muncie, Noblesville, 94; North Manchester, 10; Home, of New Albany, 210; Shawnee, of Odell, 50; Plymouth, 150; Rochester, 190; Rushville, 133; Jasper, of Rensselaer, 225; Pyke, of Romney, toll lines; Sullivan, 40; Mutual, of Shelbyville, 200; Valparaiso, 100; The Home, of Wabash, 250.

WINTER BUILDING.

Numerous Homes Being Erected In the City.

Architects are Fairly Busy and Indications are Sought for a Busy Season Next Summer.

Building is by no means at a standstill this winter, the present building conditions being better than a year ago, and it is encouraging to know that the architects have great hopes for next summer. Nearly all of the architects have been consulted in regard to contemplated improvements, indicating a boom in dwelling houses and business buildings.

Among the buildings under way are the following:

Contractor Winner is building a cozy four room house for Mrs. Stubnatzy, on West Creighton avenue.

G. W. N. Cains is making some handsome improvements to his home on Brackenridge street.

Mrs. John Christen is having three houses built on Columbia avenue, Lakeside. They will contain modern improvements. Paul Kinder is the contractor.

Architect J. M. E. Riedel has charge of some handsome improvements to the home of Henry Schone, on East Washington street.

A. M. Tower has moved into an elegant new home on the corner of Allen and Webster streets.

A commodious suburban home is being built for M. Golsking, on his farm, north of the city. The house will contain twelve rooms, with all modern conveniences.

Architect M. J. Stock is having built at the corner of Woodland avenue and Clinton street a house that will be the model of architectural beauty and utility. The interior will be finished in hard wood.

H. W. Felts is having two houses built on Harrison street, just north of Superior street.

Trustee Wertz, of Milan township, is having Stock & Co. prepare plans for a new school house in district No. 13.

REAL ESTATE SALES

As Reported by the Dreibelbiss Abstract Company.

Harriet and Joseph Rummison to George Bear, south half east half northwest quarter northeast quarter, section 19, township 32, range 11 east, containing 10 acres, for $250.

Lucien Ort to George Bear, part northeast quarter section 19, township 32, range 11 east, for $35.

Lillie E. and Charles N. Haskell to Malachi C. Cooper, part southeast quarter section 7, township 30, range 13 east, for $1,000.

William and Lucy Moore to Edward N. Wann, part southwest quarter section 26, township 32, part southwest quarter section 26, range 14 east, containing 15 acres, for $550.

Bernard and Hattie Eickhoff to William Hartle, east 32 feet, lot 2, and west 3 feet lot 1, Eickhoff's sub., for $550.

Gustave Jacobs to Paulina Weincoke, lot 33, Nelson's addition, and lots 16 and 21, Moran's sub., for $3,100.

MERRY AND SMITH.

The Murderers of Merry's Wife Put on Trial at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The trial of Christopher Merry and James Smith, the peddlers charged with the murder of Merry's wife, was begun in Judge Horton's court today. The court room was packed and hundreds were turned away. The crowd outside was as great as at any time during the first trial of the alleged wife murderer, Luetgert. Marshal McNutt, of Eddyville, Ky., and Marshal Wilson, of Princeton, Ky., who arrested Merry and Smith, were in court and will be among the first witnesses for the state.

An Editor Dangerously Ill.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Jan. 17.—The condition of Charles M. Shortridge, editor and proprietor of the Mercury, who is ill at the Gilroy hot springs, is critical, and there is little expectation of his recovery.

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DEATH CONQUERS.

Hon. Ben Butterworth Succumbs to Long Illness.

Passes Away In Georgia, Where He Had Gone for His Health—His Career.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Jan. 17.—Benjamin Butterworth, United States commissioner of patents, who has been ill at Piney Woods hotel here several weeks, died at 3:15 yesterday afternoon. The end was peaceful, and when it came his wife and children were at his bedside. He came here to recuperate from an attack of pneumonia and recovered rapidly till two weeks ago, when he suffered from uræmic convulsions. From that relapse he never recovered. His body will be sent to Washington tomorrow.

Mr. Butterworth was taken seriously ill in Cleveland last November, and for a while his life was despaired of, but he rallied after he came here in the hope of regaining his strength.

Mr. Butterworth was born in Warren county, Ohio, October 22, 1839. His people were all quakers on both sides. John Linton, who was conspicuous among those who emigrated to Pennsylvania with William Penn, was his maternal ancestor. Until he was eighteen years of age young Butterworth lived on his parents' farm, with such advantages of education as farmers' children usually had in those days. As is generally the case with young men of talent and restless ambition, farming soon proved uncongenial to his tastes, and he decided to fit himself for a professional life. He went to Cincinnati and entered the law office of Durbin Ward, where he pursued his legal studies for two years, and graduated at the Cincinnati Law school in 1861.

His public life began in 1868 and he held successively many minor offices until 1878, when he was nominated by the republicans of the First Ohio district, in Cincinnati, for congress. He was elected. He was re-elected in 1880, and was renominated in 1882, but encountered his first defeat. In 1883 he was appointed by President Arthur to the office of commissioner of patents. In 1884 Mr. Butterworth was again elected to congress and in 1890 he carried his district for the fourth time. During the last campaign he was active in his support of President McKinley. April 1, last, he was appointed by the president commissioner of patents.

A RACE FOR GOLD.

Two Klondikers Brave the Awful Arctic Weather for Riches.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—With the thermometer thirty degrees below zero, a midnight race over thirty-five miles of rough mountain country in the heart of the Klondike has earned for George Graham and Shelton Logger, the first prize of staking off overlooked and unregistered placer claims valued at $600,000.

Graham was at the Canadian register's office on the afternoon of November 15 when a man rushed in and filed a claim on French Pete creek, which adjoins the richest part of Eldorado. He had discovered that in the rush to stake the Klondike district five claims on French Pete creek had been overlooked. Graham rushed to locate the others, having given the tip to three of his friends. They were followed in a wild race by 200 other miners, but succeeded in getting on the coveted ground first.

HORRIBLE CRIME.

John Matthews Kills His Wife and Children and Commits Suicide.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A case of what appears to be a triple murder and the suicide of the murderer was discovered today when the bodies of John Matthews, his wife and two children, a boy ten years old and a girl of twelve years, were found dead in the Matthews home on Columbus avenue. It is supposed that Matthews murdered his wife and children and then committed suicide by shooting. Matthews was thirty-five years of age and his wife thirty.

GEORGE GOULD AS A JUROR.

Drawn in New Jersey In Company With a Former Senator.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 17.—One of the most notable grand juries ever drawn in the United States district court for the district of New Jersey is that which will be sworn in tomorrow at the opening of the January term of court. The panel will include several millionaires, among them George J. Gould, a former United States senator, four mayors and several other persons of prominence.

FASHION IN THE EAST.

THERE ARE NO WOMEN DRESSMAKERS IN CHINA.

A Costume of the Cheaper Class Costs About Forty Cents, but a Really Handsome Suit Can Be Had For Two Dollars. Business Methods.

Woman, lovely woman, is very much the same the world over. In every city of Christendom her eyes turn toward Paris and her thoughts to the latest mode of that illustrious capital of fashion.

In the Flowery Kingdom they turn to the great metropolis of Canton, out of whose workshops and ateliers come garments of equal style and splendor if not of equal grace and beauty. Ignorant male travelers to the contrary notwithstanding, there is fashion in the far east just the same as there is at home.

A keen Chinese observer can tell even more from a woman's clothes about the wearer than can be done at home. Little peculiarities invisible to western eyes reveal the province where the clothes were made; equally intangible things show her status and rank. I believe there are Europeans who have mastered these mysteries, at least I have been told so, although I have never yet met one.

There are no women dressmakers in China. They are all men, and every one with the importance and arrogance of Mr. Worth of Paris.

Woe to the customer who dare criticise their work or suggest improvements. So superior are they to the other sex that their clerks are men. There are any number of these establishments in the city of Canton. When you have been to one of the great ones, you have been to all.

In front of the house hangs a great signboard in scarlet and gold. It is a foot or two wide and reaches from the sidewalk up to the second or third story. The characters read: "Happiness and prosperity. The house of golden splendor, women's dresses." There are no show windows or ornaments of any kind. The entire front is open to the thoroughfare. There is a low and wicked railing across the entrance, however, which bids defiance to sneak thieves and compels ingress and egress through a gate as narrow as the one mentioned in Scripture. When you pass this, you find yourself in a large and very neat store some 20 feet wide, 80 feet long and 16 to 20 feet high. The walls are covered with shelving from floor to ceiling, and these seemed filled to the last available inch with bundles done up in paper of all sorts of colors. These bundles contain each one article of clothing and are supposed to be proof against moths, white ants, cockroaches and the other insect pests of the far east.

Upon each bundle in clearly written Chinese characters is a brief memorandum of the contents and the price. A small ebony counter at either end permits the exhibition of the goods, and light bamboo ladders enable the clerks to reach the upper shelves about the place. There is quite an army of employees, who seem half bookkeepers and half salesmen. There is a larger army of customers examining and buying goods. There are no shoppers. Shopping seems to be a mysterious modern vice that has reached its most deadly stage in the leading cities of Uncle Sam. If a Chinese lady were asked to go shopping, she would first want the thing explained to her and then would probably scream and run away under the impression that her interlocutor was raving mad.

The people of the establishment are very polite and bring down everything which they think approaches your desire. They first reach down the bundle and open it upon one of the counters. The folding of these bundles is extremely ingenious. They are so made up of salient and re-entering angles that when the last triangular point is folded over and forced into itself it is impossible for any living thing or even for dust to get inside of it. On one occasion I dropped a bundle of this sort overboard and fished it out again. After drying the outside I opened it and to my surprise and delight found that the water had not penetrated to the goods within.

The bundle, opened, discloses the garment inside neatly folded according to the conventional system employed by the Chinese trade. There is not much variety to woman's garments in China, so far as general form is concerned. She wears a pair of trousers which always come from the upper waist to the ankles and a coat which is either long or short. In these bundles, therefore, if it is not inexpressibles it is a coat, and vice versa. The cheapest goods are made of light thin muslin or cotton cloth dyed black, brown or blue. Other colors are also used, but to no such extent as the three first named. The trousers are unbroken and are held in place by a string or belt. The coat is also a single piece and is fastened with little frogs. In cheap materials the frogs are plain cotton cord of the same color as the suiting.

A costume of the cheap class costs usually 40 cents, but sometimes it is sold as low as 20. Next in grade are those made from finer stuffs, sheetings, drills, tencloth, long ells, camelots and Indian muslins. These range from 60 cents to 70 cents. Here the button of the frog is made of brass, glass or dark wood and is so arranged that it can be taken off and replaced easily and quickly. Then come suits made of light woolens, fine flannels, Japanese crapes, cotton flannel, alpaca, camel's hair and grasscloth. These range from 75 cents to $2. In these the frogs are more elaborate, and the frog buttons are gilded or made out of pretty hollow metal. Here, too, come in special suits, rain coats and trousers which are sometimes waterproof, but more frequently aquapellent, and winter clothing, which in its simplest form is made from cloth heavily padded with cotton and in more luxurious forms of any fine goods lined with fur. The prices of these naturally vary to the greatest extreme. A suit made of sheeting thickly padded with cotton and tufted can be secured for $3, while the silk coat lined with tiger cub fur or other handsome skin will often cost as high as $75. The more expensive articles are worn by the wives of the great officials, who are not 1 per cent of the entire population.

Next in the scale is silk apparel. This is what maketh glad the Celestial heart. The poorest boatwoman saves up her money cent by cent until she has accumulated the amount necessary to buy a coveted silk robe. She will even wear a silk coat with ragged cotton trousers, but a silk coat she must have as an evidence of respectability. The variety of silks is something perfectly wonderful. You can get pretty silk from the province of Fukien in delicate colors, which makes exquisite underwear as well as fetching summer dresses, for 14 cents per yard. From this the prices range upward. For 25 and 30 cents you can get handsome, finely finished silks that will last five or six years. Then there are bamboo silks from the north, which are so called because each thread is as strong, firm and durable as the fibers of that wonderful wood. There are Shanghai silks which are [illegible] to our own grosgrain, but with a gloss like the finest satin. There are bright silks and dull silks, heavy and light, smooth on both and rough finished and in more colors than were ever dreamed of in the looms of Lyons.

The moment you buy a robe the fact is noted, not alone in the salesbook, but also in what might be called an order book, and the very next day a duplicate of your purchase is under way. It is finished as rapidly as possible so that the assortment in the store may be kept up at its proper limit. This is a good rule for the styles which sell rapidly. As to other styles, they remain upon the shelves only heaven knows how long. Such institutions as the bargain counter and sales of shop worn and shelf worn goods are unknown in the country east. On the other hand, they have a custom unspeakably dear to the Mongolian mind. Toward the close of the year nearly every tradesman wants a large amount of ready cash. Sometimes it is to pay off the debts of the business and start the new year free and clear, sometimes it is for the charities and festivals for which the land is famous. They then mark down their older goods a reasonable amount, and when this does not bring in enough money they keep it up the first two or three weeks of the new year. In this way there are bargains and, of course, bargain hunters and bargain buyers.

The business is almost entirely a cash business. Credits are given, but so rarely as to occasion remark. The dealer is satisfied with a small profit, and neither tries to make a fortune in a single year nor to pose as a philanthropist like some of the goodly people of Philadelphia.

MARGHERITA ARLINA HAMM.

COUNTESS LICHTERVELDE.

Pleasing Personality of the New Belgian Minister's Wife.

Count G. de Lichtervelde, the new minister from Belgium, is one of the tallest and finest looking men in the diplomatic corps at Washington. When he was presented to President Cleveland for the first time last February, he pleasantly referred to his stay in this country some 25 years ago in the beginning of his diplomatic career. He did not bring his family with him last year. When he came back in November, he was accompanied by his wife and the youngest of their five sons, a handsome boy of 7 years, who is at school in Washington. The other boys are pursuing their studies at home, the eldest, about 21, intending to follow in his father's footsteps.

Count and Countess de Lichtervelde are members of two of the oldest and most distinguished families in Belgium.

COUNTESS DE LICHTERVELDE.

The countess' ancestors were the Counts de Spangen, and her grandfather was a general in the Austrian army. Her mother was a beautiful Spanish lady of noble lineage. Her husband has filled many important diplomatic positions, has represented his king at the Swedish, Italian and other courts, and everywhere the countess' pleasing personality has won for her many friends. She is slight and graceful, of medium height and has a bright, sparkling face. Her dark, curly hair is sprinkled with white, and her gray eyes dance with merriment when she is amused. She talks entertainingly in several languages, speaking English quite fluently, is fond of outdoor life and greatly enjoys wheeling about the broad smooth streets of Washington. Not long before leaving home she took up photography and is already quite an expert. She goes out nearly every day with her camera and has a fine collection of views.

JULIETTE M. BABBITT.

Miss Jane Addams of the Hull House settlement in Chicago has been appointed postmaster of substation No. 10 in that city; salary, $1,400. Now Miss Addams will be able to make practical application of still more of her philanthropic plans.

NOT THE ONLY PEBBLE.

The Bride Soon Convinced Sam That There Were Others.

As I reached a bend in the road that leads to San Dimas I came upon a young woman sitting upon an object in the middle of the road. I soon discovered that it was a young man, but his head was jammed so far down in the sand as to be unrecognizable.

"Howdy, stranger?" exclaimed the young woman as she grinned up at me. "I'm settin on Sam!"

"So I see," I answered.

"Me an him hev jes' bin down ter the meetin house gittin spliced."

"What seems to be the trouble now?"

"Thar ain't no trouble now, stranger. The enemy has bin crushed, an the victor is now restin on her laurels. Yo see, it wuz this way, stranger. We wuz comin along yere with our arms around each other's necks, an a-billin an a-cooin like two turtledoves when Sam yere jumped up inter the air, an crackin his heels tergether yelled:

"'Whoopee, I'm the only pebble on the beach!'

"'What's that?' says I.

"'I'm the only pebble on the beach,' says he.

"'Sam Grubbs,' says I, 'yer a liar.' An then the fout commenced, an it didn't take Sam but three minutes ter find out that he wuzn't the pum'kins thet he thought he wuz.

"Yere, Sam," she cried, seizing hold of the youth's hair and pulling his head out of the sand where it was jammed, "tell the stranger what yo are."

"I'm a little clam," he answered sullenly.

"That ain't all of it, Sam. Tell the rest of it or I'll wallop ye ag'in."

"On the beach"—

"Go ahead, Sam," she cried encouragingly.

—"at low tide."

"Thar, yo hear, stranger!" she cried triumphantly. "That's what he is. He's only a little clam on the beach at low tide. Yo kin move on now, stranger. I'm goin ter set on Sam a little longer so as ter make sure that he won't fergit what he is."—New York Sunday World.

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Author—Do you really think so?

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6.	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	6 30 p. m.
10.	Decatur Accom. arrives ex. Sunday	8 45 p.m.
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11.	Decatur Accom., ex. Sunday	5 31 a. m.
5.	Pacific Ex., ex. Sunday	9 33 a. m.
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No. 150 Local Freight	4 40 p m

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WANTED—A young girl for general housework. Reference required. Call at once, 112 Fairfield avenue. 11t2

WANTED—Call at the Associated Charities office if you want to hire laboring men or women to do washing or cleaning. Room No. 8 City Hall; telephone, 495. tf

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FOR RENT—Eight room house, centrally located, bath room, furnace, electric light, modern in every respect. Inquire at 49 Harmer St., cor. E. Wayne. 27tf

FOR RENT—A very nice eight-room house, in first-class condition, No. 112 Columbia ave., just vacated; rent reduced to $13.50. W. E. Hood, over Old National bank. 17-tf

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FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows for sale. Inquire No. 25 W. Main St.

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FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security, see "ad" on first page, first column. 7tf

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We trust that all who are owing us, will do us this favor.

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The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, JAN. 17, 1898.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—For Indiana: Threatening, with snow or rain tonight and Tuesday, warmer tonight, fresh southeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Henry Zollinger, of 172 John street, is very ill.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Rocho, of 8 Hough street—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kruse celebrated their silver wedding yesterday.

Mrs. Charles G. Guild will leave tomorrow for a visit at Bloomington, Ill.

Host W. D. Jones, of the New Aveline, is able to be around again after an illness.

Mrs. Carl Simon, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. F. Curtis.

Mrs. M. W. Freeman arrived from Buffalo last evening to be the guest of Mrs. Max Rubin.

William Wagner, who has been visiting his aunt in this city, left for his home in Dayton, Ohio.

Master Howard Winch entertained a number of his friends last Saturday evening, at his home.

Rev. A. W. Seabrease has been granted a two weeks' vacation. During his absence his pulpit will be supplied by Bishop White.

Charles L. Carter and W. H. Carter went to Van Wert, Ohio, today. They will put in tile floors at the court house, which is being remodeled.

Miss Christina Bleeke, of Monroe, Mich., who formerly resided with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wiegman, of East Wayne street, is visiting friends in the city.

The ladies of the Social Aid club will entertain their husbands next Friday evening by giving a "soap" social at the residence of Mrs. John Casy, 36 East Williams street.

Miss Bertha Miller, of Decatur, Ind., who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Miller, of 224 Washington boulevard, has returned to her home.

Mrs. James A. Graham will entertain the Ladies' auxiliary, Order of Eastern Star, and their friends, at her home, No. 230 East Lewis street, from 2 to 5 o'clock, Wednesday.

The meeting of Sunday school presidents, to be held at the city hall on Saturday, January 29th, promises to be largely attended. Officers from all parts of the country will be present.

The Ott farm, eleven miles north of the city, was sold Saturday to Gustave Scheffler, the West Main street tailor, for $8,000. The sale was conducted through the Niswonger agency. The farm contains 131 acres.

Miss Charlotte Lowry entertained the pupils of her Sunday school class at her home Saturday afternoon at an "autonomy" party. It was unique and greatly enjoyed. Supper was served at the close of the game.

C. B. Fitch, general agent of the National Life Insurance company, for northeastern Indiana, has just refused a flattering offer from one of the prominent eastern life insurance companies to become its manager for the west with offices at Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Olds will arrive shortly from Mattoon, Ill., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinnaird, of West Williams street. She will be accompanied by her little daughter. Mr. Olds has secured a position at Denver, Col., which offers such an inducement that they will shortly move to that city.

Mr. Z. Nye gave an earnest, practical talk at Trinity M. E. church, yesterday afternoon, to a large audience of men. He pointed out that there were 350 saloons and no City Y. M. C. A. He said that consecrated workers were needed. At the close of his remarks there were many requests for prayers. Services will be continued every night.

The True Blues met Saturday night and balloted on candidates for admission into the company. Four candidates were elected, and they will take examinations some time this week. The organization elected the following civil officers for the year 1898: Treasurer, J. W. Spice; company clerk, J. W. Peckin. The Blues will give a grand military ball to initiate their new uniforms February 24.

The Rev. S. A. Wimsey, of Cincinnati, has consented to deliver the lecture in this city on St. Patrick's day, under the auspices of St. Vincent de Paul society. He will deliver the sermon at the pontificial high mass in the morning, and will lecture at Library hall in the evening. Father Wimsey is a lecturer of national reputation, and Fort Wayne sons of Erin have reason for congratulation in securing his services.

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Best Potatoes, large and mealy, 65c bushel.

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Very Best Maple Syrup, 75c gal.
Best Smoked Shoulders, 6c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 9c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

E. B. Gesaman is at Toledo on business.

Mrs. Hannah Collins, of 78 Lake avenue, is reported to be quite ill.

Col. D. N. Foster went to Grand Rapids this morning to buy furniture.

Mrs. T. R. Pickard is expecting as her guest this week Miss Kittering, of Defiance.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Klingman is recovering from a two weeks' illness.

Madame Vier, of Detroit, who has been the guest of Mrs. John H. Bruss, has returned home.

Miss Betsie Blake, of Monroe, Mich., is visiting Miss Minnie Narwold, of East Lewis street.

The next meeting of the International Brotherhood league will be on Sunday evening February 8th.

The W. L. B.'s will give a dancing party at the Zollinger Battery armory on the 26th of this month.

The Westminster Brotherhood will meet in the chapel of the Westminster church this evening at 7:30.

Judge E. O'Rourke lectured before a large audience at the rooms of the Theosophical society last evening, at 32 Calhoun street.

Mrs. Arwal Polster, wife of the Bloomingdale druggist, has returned from a two months' visit with relatives and friends at Pittsburg.

Mrs. William Swartzel, of 109 John street, left this morning for Dayton, Ohio, and other parts of the state, where she will visit relatives.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge, No. 342, F. and A. M., Tuesday evening, January 18, for work. All members are requested to be present.

The Homing club yesterday elected Charles Pape secretary of the races for the ensuing year. He will have charge of the pigeons used for fast flights.

Wednesday afternoon, from 2 to 5, at her home, 230 East Lewis street, Mrs. J. A. Graham will entertain Shiloh chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and friends.

At the meeting of the Royal Neighbors last Friday evening all the old officers were re-elected except the vice oracle. Mrs. Hardendorf was elected to this position.

Ben Hur court No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet this evening, as usual, in their hall, on Court street. All members are requested to be present promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

A new cooking club which has been formed among the young girls of the high school, gave a dinner Saturday evening at the home of Mae and Clara Shepard, to which they invited their young gentlemen friends.

The Penny Benefit association of St. Julian Council, C. B. L., will meet tomorrow evening at Library hall for the annual election of officers and other business. Since this branch of the order was started four years ago it has accomplished a great deal of good.

John C. Grimme, who for many years has been connected with Grimme's, tailoring establishment, has retired from that position to accept a place with Frank Bakers, of the Schmitz block. Mr. Grimme will have charge of the business department and will also go on the road in the interest of the business.

The Carroll club will meet this week with Miss Elizabeth Hedekin. The club was addressed at the last meeting by the Rev. Father Delaney on the subject of "Rationalists and Miracles." The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Louis Fox, and the hostess delightfully entertained those present after the program.

William W. Cook, of Wallen, Ind., has received official notification of his appointment to the railway mail service, as substitute. His duties will begin shortly. Mr. Cook is a graduate of the Fort Wayne high school, of the class of '93, and has many friends who will be glad to learn of his success. He had the highest per centage of any applicant who took the civil service examination last April in this city, and it was the second highest in the state.

Miss Ada Moore entertained at progressive pedro Saturday evening, it being the anniversary of her birth. She was the recipient of many presents, among which was a very handsome bicycle. Music, games and dancing were among the features of the evening, followed by a dainty luncheon served at a late hour. Miss Minnie Tegtmeyer and Joseph Bailor were awarded the first prizes and the consolation prizes were carried off by Miss Myrtle Manguan and Ed. Miller.

With the compliments of Bush & Anspach, 94 Calhoun street, THE SENTINEL has received a handsome plaster medallion of Hon. William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska. The figure is almost life-size and the likeness to the original is most striking. The medallion stands in pronounced relief to a background of silver, while beneath is an enlarged reproduction of a silver dollar, significant of Mr. Bryan's battle for the white metal and the "dollar of the daddies." The gentlemen named in the foregoing have also a similar medallion of President McKinley and they are calling on the leading democrats and republicans of the city.

A BIG DRIVE

In a Superior Article of Mince Meat

Packed in 2 lb Cans and Sold for 10c Can at The Greatest Grocery.

Klenall, for cleaning silver, brass and glass, 8c package.

Parlor Matches, 500 box, 25c doz. boxes.

Self Raising Buckwheat and Pan Cake Flour, 2 lb pkgs., 5c.

Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c quart.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

The Parliamentary Coterie met at the Y. W. C. A. this afternoon.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon, of Ida avenue—a daughter.

The Seven club will meet with Mrs. S. C. Lombard next Wednesday afternoon.

St. Julian Council, No. 89, C. B. L., will install officers tomorrow evening at Library hall.

Miss May O'Brien, of Charles street, has recovered from a sickness of ten days with the grip.

Phillip Werstein was at Garrett, Ind., last Friday to install officers of the Catholic Benevolent Legion.

The Fortnightly club will listen to a paper on Henry David Thoreau, tonight, the subject to be presented by H. O. Wise.

Summit City lodge No. 2, D. of H., A. O. U. W., will hold their memorial services at their hall, corner Calhoun and Superior streets, Tuesday evening, January 18. All members of the order in the city are cordially invited to attend.

NEW HORROR OF WAR

AN APPALLING FEATURE THAT HAS HITHERTO BEEN OVERLOOKED.

How Could England Expect Englishmen to Do Their Duty In Battle With Their Fathers-in-law?—Possible International Complications That Worry a Thinker.

"Even the remote possibility of a war is a terrible thing to contemplate," said the thoughtful man who is always making trouble for himself by thinking.

"There is something about that observation that has a chestnutty flavor," returned the man who makes it a point never to do any more thinking than is absolutely necessary to live.

"Ah, but the thought is peculiarly horrible at this time," explained the thoughtful man. "The conditions are such that the result of a war—particularly a war with England—would be simply awful. You see, in considering these things the average man overlooks entirely the most appalling features. He fails to dwell sufficiently on the terrible conflict that would wage in the breast of many an Englishman when he should be thinking only of his duty to his country.

"Picture to yourself the young Duke of Marlborough on a gunboat just outside of New York harbor," went on the thoughtful man, warming up to his work. "Duty says he must shell the town. Puff! A boom and a wreath of smoke, and what happens? He has blown the roof off his father-in-law's house or made serious inroads into the art treasures of his wife's uncle. Shall he fire again? Think of the torture of trying to answer that question! Another shot may jeopardize a million or two that he has hopes of getting later, or it may have a serious effect upon some of his wife's investments. In addition to this he has the fortune of the dowager Duchess of Marlborough to think of, which amounted to about $7,000,000 when the late duke got his hands on it, and for all he knows some fool gunner may lop a cipher off of it without knowing what he's doing.

"And while these thoughts are flitting through the head of the young duke somebody in the next boat is very likely worrying for fear he may knock the spots out of a section of the $15,000,000 that Mrs. Marshall O. Roberts is said to have brought Colonel Ralph Vivian, while Hon. A. H. Paget, who got a little something with Miss Pauline Whitney, is trying to figure out how he can avoid hitting the stock market, and the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain is shooting blank cartridges to avoid doing any harm to the securities that he got with Miss Mary Endicott.

"At the same time L. Z. Leiter is on top of the statue of Liberty signaling to Hon. George N. Curzon for heaven's sake to spare him and his fortune, if only to show his appreciation of the $6,000,000 that he got with Miss Mary Leiter. Then there is the $3,000,000 that Miss Cornelia Martin brought to the Earl of Craven and— But why continue? Why harrow up the soul by picturing the awful struggles that would come with such a war? Why bring home to England the fearful thought that some of her most promising young man would be sorely tempted to turn back from the war and tell her to chase herself down to India or the Sudan, where there is money to be made and not money to be lost—where there are no wealthy relatives to auger or financially disable?

"I tell you, sir," and the thoughtful man became more emphatic, "there is no limit to the terrors of a war between this country and any of the European nations that are old enough to have titles to sell. Think of Prince Hatzfeldt storming the Stock Exchange with a galling gun! Think of the Count de Castellane bombarding railroads and smashing dividends! In the old days it was possible to go to war and kill people and burn towns without doing any serious injury to oneself or one's relatives, but it isn't so now. Any shot is likely to be a boomerang, and there are relatives everywhere. It is worthy of note, too, that, although this is a young country comparatively, it is rapidly becoming the papa-in-law of all the rest of creation."

The man who makes it a point never to do any more thinking than is necessary observed the worried look of the man who is always making trouble for himself, yawned and replied carelessly: "A war would be sort of tough, wouldn't it?"—Chicago Post.

As Mulligan Viewed It.

Mulligan—It's gettin so it's a hard matter for a mon to live in France.

O'Rourke—Phy so?

Mulligan—Phy, the birth rate over there is lower than the death rate, so a mon livin in that darned counthry stands a bigger chance of dyin than he does of bein born.—New York Sunday World.

The Highwayman's Logic.

If you didn't get what you want, of course you don't want what you got, therefore hand it over.—Boston Transcript.

Quick Lake Travel.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer: "When we put on our new boat next June," said Manager Tom Newman of the Buffalo line, "I think we will have the ideal lake route in really ideal shape. We are going to make a ten-hour run between the two cities, and I don't know where you can equal it. You see, it takes close to twenty minutes to get out of either harbor, and that leaves the actual running time about nine hours and twenty minutes, which means a fraction over twenty miles an hour. I've looked through time tables and schedules pretty thoroughly, and I don't know where you'll find a similar run. They can't do it on the Hudson, I know, and if they equal it anywhere else the books don't show it. Of course, you understand that this isn't racing speed. It's just the regular everyday rate. We could crack it up several miles better, but twenty an hour is fast enough."

Fecundity of Sparrows.

Sparrows are the rabbits of the feathered world in point of multiplication, frequently producing more than twenty young ones in a season, three or four broods of six or seven each being not unusual. In six years the progeny of one single pair of sparrows will amount to millions, as evidence the alarming rapidity with which the United States, New Zealand and Australia are now infested, the number originally taken over by emigrants being very small. Complaints from American, Australian and New Zealand agriculturists of the ravages committed by the bird are even more bitter than those of English farmers. The total numbers of sparrows are out of all proportions to those of other species of birds.

Relief for Tired Saleswomen.

Not only the saleswomen complain, but trained nurses often suffer from swollen feet, especially when they first go into hospitals. A powder which is much used in the German army for sifting into the shoes and stockings of the infantry soldiers might be of service. It consists of three parts of salicylic acid, ten parts of starch and eighty-seven parts of pulverized soapstone. This keeps the feet dry, prevents chafing and heals any sore spots. The soapstone alone, without the other ingredients, has also been found useful and soap alone will give relief when well rubbed over the sole of the stocking.

An Aluminium House.

W. F. Howes of Weymouth, Mass., has secured patents on a portable aluminium house, which, when packed for transportation, is in three bundles, weighing only 130 pounds, including stove and cooking utensils. It will house four persons, is fireproof and is called "the Klondike home."

Thanks Expressed.

The household of Walter Leach, through THE SENTINEL, wish to express their sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted them in their late bereavement in the death of their father.

MR. AND MRS. WALTER LEACH.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Wheat Jan., 91⅞c; May, 90¾c; July, 80⅞@¾c; Sept., 76¾c; Dec., 76⅝c.

Corn—Jan., 25⅞c; May, 28⅞29c; July, 30c.

Oats—Jan., 22c; May, 23⅝@⅜c; July, 22c.

Pork—Jan., $9.25; May, $9.40.

Lard—Jan., $4.62; May, $4.72@4.75; July, $4.80@4.82½.

Ribs—Jan., $4.57; May, $4.67@4.70.

Ticket 23,671 is worth $10 in cash at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Cosmopolitan

Incandescent Gas Lights complete; each, at store, 90 cents.

ROBERT SPICE,
48 West Main Street.
Home Phone No. 261. 6-tf

Attend the 20 per cent. discount sale at Reuben S. Patterson's.

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Twenty years ago, when we started our Furniture Department, we took the above for our motto. We determined never to sacrifice quality for cheapness.

Under that motto we soon had undisputed leadership in the Furniture trade of Northern Indiana.

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Bring ticket 23,671 to Reuben S. Patterson's clothing store and get $10 in cash.

Notice.

Under and by virtue of a chattel mortgage executed to me on the 17th of December, 1897, by Minnie E. Mann, I will offer for sale, on the first day of February, 1898, at number 23 Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Ind., all the personal property in my possession by virtue of said mortgage, consisting of boots, shoes, etc., for cash, and until above date at retail.

ABEL A. PUTNAM,
23-27-j3-10-17-24-31 Mortgagee.

We do not raise the price on account of tariff, but are selling all our elegant suiting and overcoating at old prices. G. Schmidt, merchant tailor, 70 E. Main St. 7tf

Cost Sale.

All goods will be sold at cost this month. Dry goods, millinery, clothing, underwear, etc.

j10-wtf THE FAIR.

You will enjoy yourself this evening if you attend the Progressive Pedro and Social at A. O. U. W. hall, cor. Calhoun and Superior Sts. 15 cents.

Underwear discounted 10 per cent during our sale. Reuben S. Patterson.

Assignee's Sale.

The undersigned, as assignee of J. L. Trelheway, will, under and by virtue of an order of the Allen circuit court of Allen county, Indiana, sell, at public sale, on Tuesday, January 18th, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the store room known as No. 118 Calhoun street, in the city of Fort Wayne, being the store room formerly occupied by Trelheway Bros., a stock of shoes, rubbers and trunks and fixtures.

Terms of sale, cash.

HERMAN MICHAEL,
Assignee.

Jan. 13, 1898. 13t5

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Best Ohio Maple Syrup, ...70 gal.
Buckwheat Flour..........3½c lb.
All standard package coffee down to..........10c lb.
Good Table Peaches..........10c can.
Silver State, best in market.. 12½c.
Gal. Pie Peaches..........25c.
Gal. Apples..........25c.
New Beans down to..........2½c lb.
3 lb. Pumpkin..........5c can.
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FOR COUNTY RECORDER.

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